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GUNMEN'S FIENDISH THREAT IN CITY ROBBERY

Pour Kerosene Over Victims

LARGE HAUL IN WELL PLANNED COUP

Gunmen, in the course of one of the most daring raids within City limits for some considerable time past, resorted to a terrible threat when, pouring kerosene oil over their victims, they threatened to set them alight.

The affair which took place early this morning in the Chuen Hing piece-goods shop at 175, Des Voeux Road Central, situated a short distance beyond the World Theatre and the big Chinese emporiums, yielded a record haul in cash and jewellery, assessed at between \$10,000 and \$11,000.

A treacherous employee, who decamped with the gunmen, shortly after 3 o'clock opened the door and admitted six men. They brought an armory of seven guns to bear on the shopkeeper, his numerous family, and three other folks. Each man also held with his other hand a dagger.

FIENDISH THREAT.

Collecting others in the shop from a cockloft, they herded the thirteen victims into a tiny cubicle in the rear of the shop, measuring about six feet square, and after binding their hands behind their back, poured kerosene over their heads.

A significant pass was next made with a match and box, and the victims were given impressively to understand that they would be all set on fire en masse should they as much as allow a peep to escape them.

LIESURELY CRIME.

With the victims reduced to a state of mortal terror, the gunmen were able to proceed about their job in a leisurely way. For more than two hours before it was usual for the shop to open its doors for the day's business, they turned the whole place almost inside out.

The shopkeeper, it appears, suffered from an old-fashioned aversion to keeping his money in a bank, and for the ten years in which he had carried on business at the address, had always kept it in the shop. Furthermore, he had not invested in a safe, and there was no other indication of a small fortune in cash being in the premises.

SHOP RANSACKED.

The secret believed to have hitherto been shared only amongst the members of the family, appears to have been also known to the rascally folk. Unnervingly he led his confederates to the different places where money and jewellery were secreted; in boxes, under a bed and other unlikely places. Furniture and piece goods were turned over indiscriminately, and the premises presented a most disordered appearance when eventually the robbers left.

The goods in the shop were left untouched, the robbers concentrating entirely on jewellery and money. Even a few copper cents left in a handbag were appropriated.

ARSON ATTEMPT AT TSITSIHAR

FIRE AT ELECTRIC STATION

An attempt to set fire to the electric station of the Chinese Eastern Railway at Tsitsihar was made yesterday by unknown persons. The outbreak was discovered before any serious damage was done. The cause of the fire was due to a short circuit in the wiring.



Wiley Post, the American distance flier.

WILEY POST HELD UP

BAD WEATHER IN EUROPE

FAST TIME TO KOENIGSBERG

Berlin, July 16. After a magnificent flight across the Atlantic from New York to Berlin nonstop, Wiley Post, holder with Harold Gatty of the round-the-world flight record, took off at 2.11 p.m. for Novosibirsk.

Post is engaged on an attempt to beat the record. His flight across the Atlantic must have set up a new record.

He landed at 11.55 a.m. and was off again at 2.11 p.m.—*Reuter*.

The weather for the Post flight is reported to be very unfavourable and it is, therefore, possible that he will be compelled to land in Moscow.—*Reuter*.

Koenigsberg, July 16. Wiley Post was forced to land here at 6.40 p.m., owing to bad weather. He hopes to be able to resume his flight at 3 a.m.—*Reuter*.

BRIDE KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

TRAGIC END TO FLIGHT

Dar-es-Salaam, July 16. A tragic incident occurred in Kenya to-day, when a couple on a honeymoon were killed in an aeroplane disaster.

The couple were Mr. Richard Ussher, a well-known settler in Kenya, and his bride. They were both killed while flying to Durban from Nairobi for a wedding trip. The plane crashed into a mountain-side near Mbeyan.

Mr. Ussher was formerly in the Lifeguards and was noted as an amateur rider.—*Reuter*.

EUROPEANS' TRAGIC DEATHS

DOUBLE SHOCK FOR SHANGHAI POLICE FORCE

Shanghai, July 17. A dual tragedy occurred in the Shanghai Police Force yesterday. Inspector J. Sullivan was found dead in his quarters. Death was apparent before any serious damage was done. The cause of the death was due to a stroke, owing to the intense heat.

WORLD CONFERENCE

A SINE DIE RECESS

U.S. TO OPPOSE DATE FIXING EFFORTS

NEW ROOSEVELT POLICY

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 15. It is reliably learned that it is the intention of the American delegation to the World Economic Conference to oppose any attempt to fix a date for the resumption of the Conference.

They will oppose both the fixing of a specific date and the fixing of an approximate date for the re-assembly after the adjournment.

It is understood that the United States attitude is dictated by the belief that the fixation of any date could be interpreted as indirect pressure upon America to stabilise her currency before that time.

ROOSEVELT PLANS.

A message from Washington states that Professor Moley had a long talk with President Roosevelt, reporting on developments in London. Afterwards, he said he believed that the Conference had entirely abandoned its efforts to secure temporary stabilisation.

It is understood that President Roosevelt now plans to take steps to prevent wide fluctuations in commodity prices, rather than to curb international exchange fluctuations.

There will be no attempt to peg the dollar with any foreign currencies which is interpreted as America's answer to the London suggestions that Britain throw in her lot with America and peg the dollar-pound exchange.—*United Press, Per Gold Bar Company.*

FINNISH FOREST FIRES

FLAMES SPREAD WITH TERRIBLE RAPIDITY

Helsingfors, July 12. About one hundred people have been killed in Helsingfors owing to the unprecedented drought, which is the worst of the whole century in Finland.

Forest fires which started in many parts of the country are spreading with terrible rapidity, while a growing gale is driving the mobilised troops and other fire fighters in retreat before the flames.

The large, thickly-populated areas of the middle of the country are now in danger of being encircled by the flames which are menacing them from various directions. The number of homeless is growing, as many farms have been destroyed with the crops and cattle.

It is feared that nearly the whole of the south of the Ostrobothnian province will be involved unless the fires are soon checked.

Many lives have been lost, it is reported, while telephone lines have been interrupted and the lives have interfered with railway communications.

NAZI ECONOMIC PROGRAMME

Powerful Council of Advisers

Berlin, July 16.

A General Economic Council, consisting of prominent economists, bankers and industrialists, such as Herr Krupp, Herr Thyssen, Professor Bosch and Dr. Otto Fischer, has been formed to advise the government on economic questions.—*Reuter*.

DEATH OF C.T. CRAMP

TRADE UNION LEADER

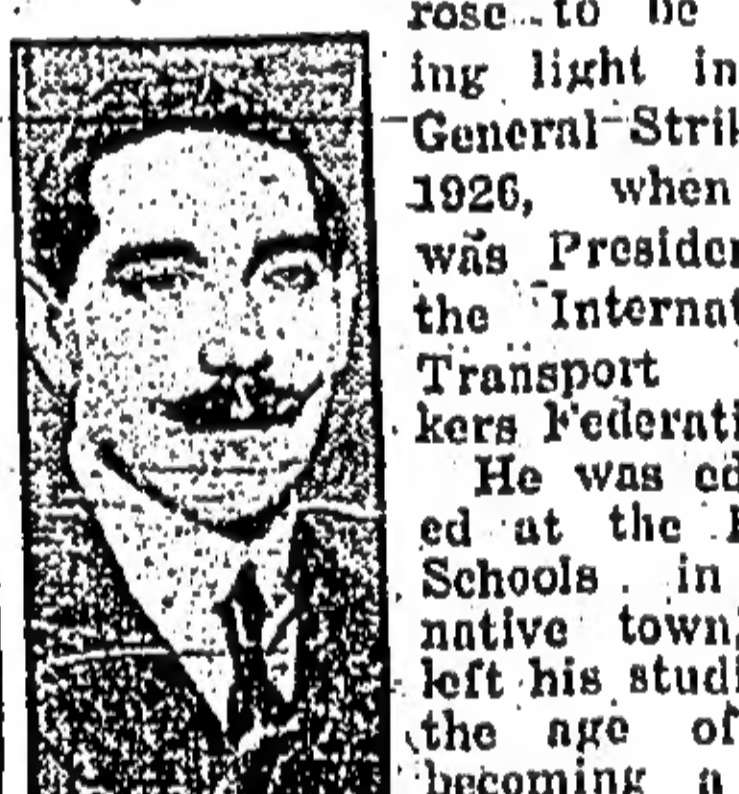
FRIEND OF THE RAILWAYMEN

(Our Own Correspondent).

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London, July 15. The death occurred of Mr. Concomore Thomas Cramp, the well known Trades Union leader and former Industrial General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen.

Born at Staplehurst, Kent in 1876, Mr. Cramp started work at the age of 12 as a gardener and rose to be leading light in the "General Strike" of 1926, when he was President of the International Transport Workers Federation.



C. T. Cramp

He entered the railway service at Shipley, Yorkshire in 1896 and fifteen years later was elected to the Executive Committee of the Railwaymen's Union. In 1918 he was elected President of this body, and was in addition a member of the Consumer's Council (War Emergency), a member of the Workers' National Committee and the Reconstruction Committee (Education).

For the best part of his life an ardent member of the Labour Party, the late Mr. Cramp served on the Party's Executive Committee and was Chairman in 1925. In the following year he held the presidential office of the International Transport Workers Federation.

Dr. Lumden stated guardedly that the results of the treatment, which are a crucial test of ten years of special research, he considers justify further intensive investigation along the lines of research which have been begun.—*Reuter*.

ARMADA FLIERS HONOURED

CONGRATULATIONS POURING IN

Chicago, July 16.

The Italian airmen at noon to-day attended a solemn Te Deum at the Cathedral in Chicago, after which they visited the World Exposition and examined the Italian exhibits.

In the evening they were entertained at a banquet given by the Italian-American Society, when congratulatory messages were read from all parts of the world, including "Breathless Greetings" from Signor Mussolini and an expression of admiration at their magnificent flight from Mr. Cordell Hall.—*Reuter*.

MONARCHIST PLOTS IN GREECE

COUP BELIEVED IMMINENT

FEVERISH ATHENS ACTIVITY

Paris, July 16.

An imminent monarchist coup d'etat in Greece is predicted in a telegram from Athens, published in the newspapers to-day, according to which feverish activity prevails in both Government and monarchist camps.

The report adds that monarchist emissaries have been instructed to sound the principal foreign Governments in regard to their attitude towards a restoration of the Monarchy.

Greece has been in political ferment for some considerable time past, largely as a result of the failure of any political party to secure a complete majority and with it widespread popular support.

Recently, an attempt was made to assassinate M. Venizelos and there was a suspicion that the instigators were Royalist supporters.—*Reuter*.

POTENTIAL KING.

There was previous talk of a restoration in 1926 but it soon subsided.

Presumably, if the coup d'etat is seriously planned, the aim is to restore ex-King George, who reigned for about eighteen months following the second abdication of Constantine.

Since his deposition, he has divided his time between Rumania and Britain.—*Reuter*.

CANCER CASES IN LONDON

TREATMENT WITH NEW ANTI-SERUM

London, July 10.

Twenty-four cancer patients, whose cases are hopeless under existing methods, are being treated voluntarily by means of experiments with a new anti-serum treatment under the direction of Dr. Thomas Lumden at the London Hospital.

This was disclosed at the annual meeting of the Empire Cancer Campaign held in the House of Lords to-day.

Dr. Lumden stated guardedly that the results of the treatment, which are a crucial test of ten years of special research, he considers justify further intensive investigation along the lines of research which have been begun.—*Reuter*.

TRAGIC SHOOTING AFFAIR

DEAD OFFICER DUE TO GO HOME

Kobe, July 12.

The funeral of Lieut. Albert Sopol, the French officer who was shot on Monday night by his Annamese cabin boy, will be held to-morrow.

Deceased, who was to sail for home on July 13, was packing in his cabin on the despatch vessel Rogulus when his boy entered, and opened fire on him with a revolver, inflicting serious wounds.

Lieut. Sopol was immediately taken to the International Hospital, where he was operated on by Dr. Theodore Schmidt and Dr. Camillo Zirn, but the officer failed to rally and died soon after.—*Reuter*.



Ex-King George II of Greece. Paris reports suggest the probability of a Royalist coup to restore him to the throne.

NEW CHINA QUEST

CO-OPERATION OF LEAGUE

T. V. SOONG BOUND FOR PARIS

Geneva, July 16.

Mr. T. V. Soong arrived this morning from Rome and visited the new League Buildings, the International Labour Office and the Disarmament Buildings.

He is leaving Geneva for Paris to-night to attend a meeting on Tuesday of the League sub-committee which is to consider the Chinese request for the League's collaboration in the work of reorganising certain Chinese provinces.

The Japanese "menace" is alleged to have stimulated the interest of certain Powers in developing China in a very liberal manner and, by this method, to establish definite machinery for maintaining the Open Door.

It is contemplated that a permanent liaison body will be set up to maintain contact between China and the League.

After the Paris meeting, Mr. T. V. Soong will go to Berlin to make his last important call before sailing for China.—*Reuter*.

ANOTHER BEATING FOR SENATORS

Dropping Back in the Pennant Race

New York, July 16.

Another defeat for Washington Senators pulled them down in percentage and affected their leadership chances to-day.

Scores as enabled by *Reuter* were:—

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Chicago | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| Boston | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| (Berger homered for Boston) | | | |
| Chicago | 3 | 11 | 0 |
| Boston | 1 | 7 | 0 |
| Cincinnati | 1 | 11 | 1 |
| New York | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| (Lucas pitched and blanked out New York. There were 16 innings.) | | | |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 8 | 1 |
| New York | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| (Hubbell pitched and blanked out Cincinnati.) | | | |
| St. Louis | 4 | 12 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 8 | 3 |
| Philadelphia | 8 | 13 | 1 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|--------------------------|----|----|----|
| Boston | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 12 | 1 |
| (There were 14 innings.) | | | |
| Washington | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 7 | 11 | 0 |

SOVIET BORDER INCIDENT

WHITE RUSSIAN PETITIONS

TRADE BOYCOTT URGED

Harbin, July 17.

A committee representing all the White Russian organisations in Harbin have handed over petitions to the Manchukuo and Japanese authorities soliciting protection and efforts for the release of the ten emigres who were seized in the Tungshang incident.

The ten emigres were acting as guards aboard the vessel when it was detained by Soviet frontier guards, its cargo confiscated and the White Russians arrested.

The White organisations have lodged copies of their petition with the Japanese Consulate, the Japanese Military Mission, the Japanese Gendarmerie Office and the Manchukuo Foreign Ministry.

COUNTER-ARRESTS?

The petition suggests that the Manchukuo Government should arrest twenty Soviet citizens and declare them to be hostages for the release of the ten emigres.

The White Russian newspapers also suggest the stopping of all Soviet merchandise with Manchukuo, on lines similar to the action taken by Great Britain when the engineers of Metropolitan Vickers were arrested in Moscow.—*Reuter*.

FAMOUS CARTOONIST

DEATH OF MR. E. T. REED

BRILLIANT PUNCH STUDIES

(Our Own Correspondent).

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London, July 15. The world has lost one of its most famous cartoonists in the death of Mr. Edward Tennyson Reed, who passed away to-day at the age of 73.

Mr. Reed became a world-known figure when he joined the staff of *Punch* in 1890. He was appointed by Sir F. C. Burand, and three years later he began his brilliant Prehistoric Peep series. Later he took to caricature, and was Parliamentary Cartoonist to *Punch* from 1894 to 1912. He gave many lectures of caricature and humorous art and drew weekly for the *Bytander*. He had several publications, the best known of which were Mr. Punch's Prehistoric Peeps, 1896, Unrecorded History etc., Mr. Punch's Animal Land, 1898, Mr. Punch's Book of Arms, 1899, The Tablets of Azit-Tigleth-Mihpani the Scribe, 1900.

In 1880 Mr. Reed visited Egypt, China and Japan. He was educated at Harrow and was a Justice of the Peace for Surrey.

HITLER'S LATEST

ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN EXTENDED

Berlin, July 12. The Nazi anti-Jewish campaign to-day was extended to German motion pictures. It was announced that every motion picture shown in Germany required to prove that it was not anti-Jewish.

KING'S THEATRE

COMING SHORTLY!

DEFENSELESS IN A DEN OF BEASTS



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5. Tomato Chicken and Rice.
6. Cold Beef and Salad.
7. Potato and Vegetable.
8. Banana Souffle.
9. Fruit.
10. Tea.
11. Coffee.

MENU

DINNER \$1.50

1. Assorted Hors d'Oeuvres.
2. Tomato Soup.
3. Steamed Fish & Eggs Sauce.
4. Russian Pirroshkies.
5. Haricot Ox-tongue.
6. Roast Chicken.
7. Potatoes and Vegetable.
8. Charlotte Russe.
9. Cheese.
10. Fruit.
11. Tea.
12. Coffee.



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THE WORLD OF WOMEN



YOUR CHILDREN

Too Many Children
Must
Ride Parents' Hobbies

By Olive Roberts Barton

Once upon a time there was a lady who had a little girl with straight hair, and a boy with curls. The lady talked so much about the unfairness of nature that the boy hated his hair and so did the girl. He kept getting army hair-cuts and she insisted on one permanent after the other. As a matter of fact the boy looked fine with wavy hair and the girl was the comeliest type that looks better with a close straight bob.

Once upon another time there was a lady who wanted a daughter and had a son. She did everything but dress the boy in petticoats and the result was a complete ass. He was an eternal misfit and despised himself to the point of insanity almost.

Once upon still another time there was a lady who wanted a musical child. Instead she had a pugacious little fighter who organized gangs and broke windows. She made his life miserable with lessons on the fiddle, on the piano, and on the fife. He grew up with such a loathing of music that he won't listen to a radio or anything else with sound if he can help it to-day. Music spells misery to him.

No Fairy-tale Figures

Now these "once-upon" ladies belong to no fairy-tale age. They are here with us, next door to us, in our own houses. They are ourselves. Every one of us is a "once-upon" mother.

Before our children are born we begin to extend our own personalities and our own plans into their lives. Not only do we have a decided preference frequently for a certain sex to be born to us, but we fix upon looks. Almost invariably too we carve out what dispositions we wish them to have, to say nothing of tastes and abilities.

Then from babyhood on we disregard their natural propensities but force our own hobbies upon them, making them unhappy and self-conscious.

In so doing we defeat the very thing we set ourselves to do.

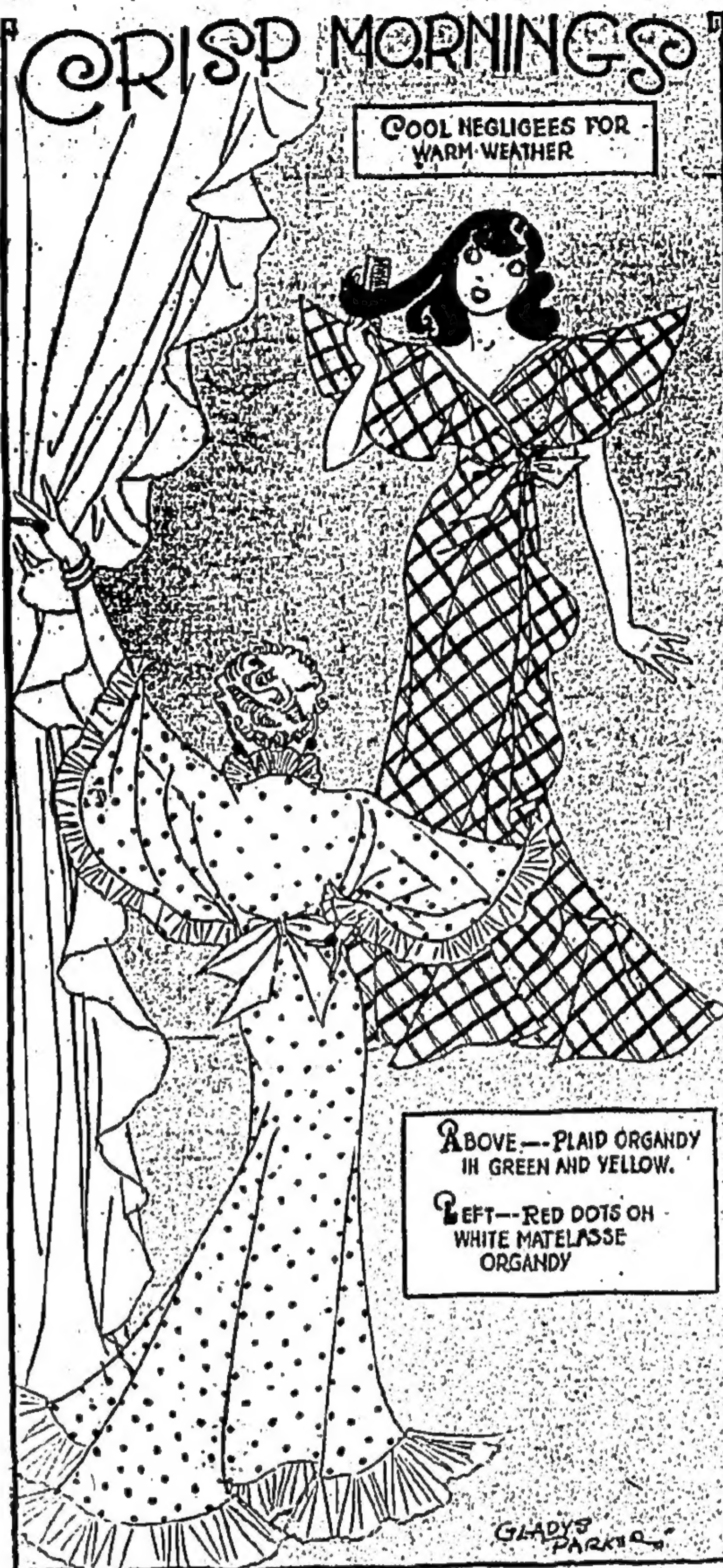
Not that we could do it anyway in many cases, but there is such a thing as "conditioning" children in a certain direction, by wisdom and tact—very early in the game. Of course, we cannot change sex, or curly hair, but we can, for instance, make some headway with an unmusical child by teaching him first to love music. From there on we have a real basis of self-development. Antagonize him early and make him miserable about it and he will promptly face the other way.

Too Much Moulding

There is far too much moulding of the child on the parents' plan and too little study of the child himself, his leanings and those things which can best be developed by him.

We are prone to emphasize our own disappointments. Why should children eternally ride the hobbies of their parents? And why should they be made to feel themselves failures?

As for physical tangents, no defects in a mother's or father's eyes should ever be given voice before a child. Character is undermined thereby from the beginning, a whole life's happiness ruined. We must learn to praise children and keep our disappointments to ourselves. It is hard to do but we must.

COOL NEGLIGEEES FOR
WARM WEATHER

ABOVE—PLAID ORGANDY
IN GREEN AND YELLOW.
LEFT—RED DOTS ON
WHITE MATELASSE
ORGANDY

GLORIFYING
YOURSELFSummer, Itself, Is A
Beauty Aid

By Alicia Hart

Take it easy on your beauty routine in summer time.

Summer beauty shouldn't be a matter of make-up and a lot of fuss. It should be beauty that comes from body health, from happy energy and from high spirits.

All of these things mean just one thing—"Get out into the open every second that you can."

If you work, that's no alibi. Too many women spend week-ends working. See if you can't wedge that into a concentrated evening of work during the week. When Saturday comes, don't your holiday spirit, even if it's only for a hike, a picnic or a row on the lake.

Hair really needs summer attention. Brush it and massage your scalp and be sure that you

apply a little oil at least once a week to counteract the ravages of hot sun, wind, dirt and salt water.

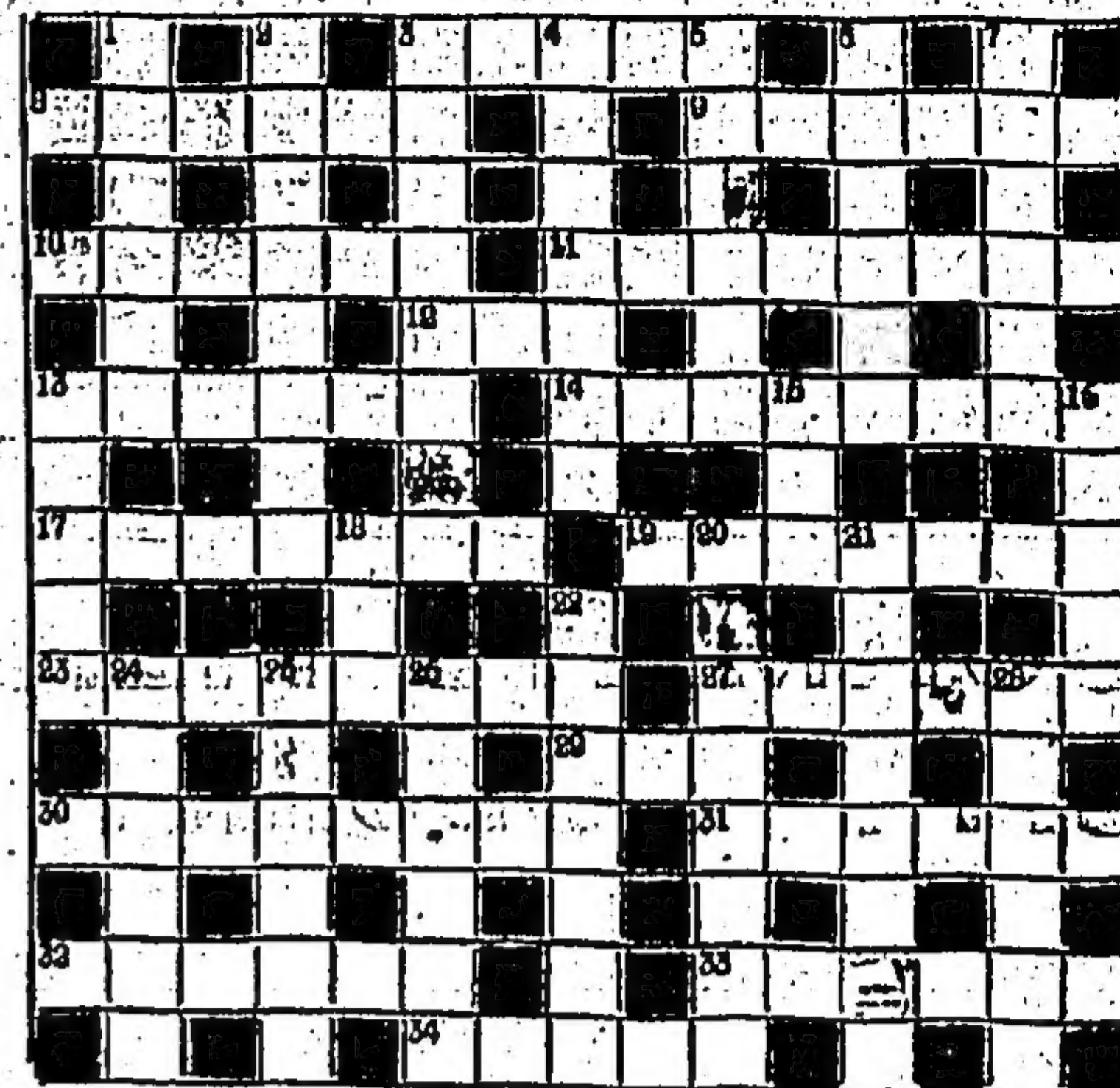
Skin needs oil, too. Use a good nourishing cream, morning and night. Rub it into your hands, too. Use some vaseline around your nails if they are brittle. And watch your elbows, for they should be kept as soft and white as possible and with short sleeves they show mightily, these hot days.

Humour your feet. Hot weather does mean things to many feet. Sports shoes are much easier than pumps. Low heels are more restful to the majority of women than high. Be sensible this summer.

DINNER GOWN.

You can make a charming dinner gown out of a white evening dress of which you have grown tired. Make a fitted jacket after the manner of sailors' coats of navy blue triple sheer or taffeta. If the evening dress has a rather high neck or a bulky front, cut off the top and wear the blue jacket with the long white skirt. Otherwise, you can leave the dress as it is and wear the jacket over it.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 3 A product of brose, but scarcely the result of a diet of Athole Brose.
- 8 Shoot.
- 9 Put up by breaking a secret.
- 10 You have ten at the piano.
- 11 We all thought—Edward, the wise men, and I.
- 12 An extreme member.
- 13 Start back.
- 14 To see little Emily in fine surroundings is very womanly.
- 17 Scottish district.
- 19 A card from the first cannot be second until it has been this.
- 23 Putting into store—but ladders are not in request.
- 27 "Some books are to be—, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested." (Bacon).
- 29 Here, though in France.
- 30 Motion that's never put to the meeting.
- 31 To guard, and always ready to learn.
- 32 Where water cannot run.
- 33 The edge of this scoop seems out of all proportion to its size.
- 34 Leather.

DOWN

- 1 Nautical operation.
- 2 Tophet.
- 3 Frightened.
- 4 Personal predilections.
- 5 To do this to most food does not improve it.

- 6 Back this for a place.
- 7 Scattered.
- 13 Backs a horse.
- 15 A little building in a spinney.
- 16 Finished and done with.
- 18 This affords relief to the sufferer from *cacochæa scribendi*.
- 20 Here position's everything—though height would serve.
- 21 Cast off.
- 22 Stir up.
- 24 Bodies with arms.
- 25 Mark Tapley was slow in taking this.
- 26 A slide (anag.).
- 28 Anger.

Saturday's Solution.

BADMINTON LOCOM
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T O N T I N E R U B I O O N
O T S V S S R D
N A I L L I V E R A P I A
S E L R E E T
A P T O T E S Y U L A N O
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DARLING FOOL

CHAPTER XXXIV

The second day out Monnie, bundled in a rug, glanced up from her book to see the tall girl, Corinth Faneway, walking with her husband. Young Mrs. Faneway wore the most exquisite of casual costumes of pale faun-tweed. The little hat set at precisely the right angle, the big loose gloves and low-heeled shoes were exactly right. The tall girl gave Monnie a nod and then, apparently obeying a sudden impulse, stopped beside her chair.

"Do you know my husband, Miss O'Dare? Oh, I'd forgotten. Harris, this is Miss O'Dare—"

She gave Monnie a slow, dazzling smile and the younger girl felt her vagrant charm. She had a sweet, high, careless voice and the manner of one with the world at her feet. Monnie felt drawn to her and yet curiously repelled.

"I haven't seen Arthur this morning. Have you?" The words seemed to have some significance which Monnie missed but she coloured slightly as she replied. No, she said, she hadn't seen Mr. Mackenzie. Not at luncheon.

"Probably in the bar," supplied Harris Faneway. "Shall we have a look there?"

They drifted on, with a casual nod. Monnie tried to read again but the encounter had left her with a disturbed feeling. It was not envy she felt for Corinth Faneway—surely not that—but this other girl was so beautiful, so sure of herself. She reminded Monnie in some subtle way of Sandra, although Sandra would have paled to insignificance beside her. Monnie did not want to think of Sandra now. She wanted to look ahead—not backward.

Presently, putting her novel aside, she went to find Miss Anstie. That lady was just waking from her nap.

"Did you have a nice time, my dear?" she asked. "Such a wonderful rest I had. I feel quite refreshed!" Miss Anstie was patting her silvery curls into place.

"Oh, I'd quite forgotten. Mr. Mackenzie sent a note by the steward—such a nice note—asking if we would dine with him to-night. Don't you think that

would be lovely?"

Monnie said faintly that she thought it would be quite delightful, but her tone lacked enthusiasm and Miss Anstie glanced at her sharply. The child must be feeling the motion of the boat, she decided. Monnie looked rather pale. Or perhaps it had been that salmon mayonnaise at luncheon. Miss Anstie never quite trusted salmon mayonnaise—

Monnie could not have explained quite why she wished to avoid the magnificent Mr. Arthur Mackenzie. Surely he was all that anyone could wish in the way of a travelling companion. He was urbane, witty, wise, a man of the world with a fund of amusing tales at his tongue's end. Perhaps it was, she thought, the way he looked at her. There was something in the glance from those dark, deep shadowed eyes which reminded her of a cat getting ready to pounce. Oh, but that was nonsense! She was letting her imagination run away with itself.

The dinner frock she selected that night was one chosen with

the greatest possible care when she had made a flying trip to the city to spend the money her mother had given her. It was of pale cream lace, demurely cut in front but sheared away at the back to show her lovely shoulders. It had been a bargain. One of those slim, cheap, effective frocks which the young wear so charmingly. She had been delighted on finding it but to-night she was dissatisfied with her reflection in the mirror. The glass gave back the portrait of girl with wide starry eyes under a gleaming cap of burnished bronze hair.

Monnie had, of course, no jewels to wear and her velvet wrap was an old one. Miss Anstie, in silver lame which marked her new prosperity, approved of her.

"You look sweet enough to eat, my dear. The young men will be overwhelmed."

Monnie smiled politely. Miss Anstie was kind, but she hated her own looks. They were so ingenuitous—so unfinished. If she had only the poise, the unmatched assurance of Corinth Faneway she would be content.

"More lipstick, my dear," Miss Anstie urged. "You can carry it off. It doesn't look bold. Thank heaven, I'm not so old style as my sister, Lida. She thinks every woman who uses cosmetics is on the straight road to perdition." Miss Anstie laughed her tinkling laugh.

The dining room steward who had sent them the night before conducted them now to a large round table decorated in gaid fashion.

Arthur Mackenzie, seeming taller and more imposing in his dinner clothes, rose to greet them. There were half a dozen others already at table. Among them Monnie recognized only Corinth and Harris Faneway. Corinth was dazzling in a frock of scarlet. The gray-haired man next to Miss Anstie was a railroad president from the west. The tall red-haired woman with the flashing eyes whom Monnie had observed walking the deck with her Sealyham, was evidently an actress. Corinth Faneway said to her negligently, "I loved your play. It was marvellous."

"Did you, my dear?" The red-haired woman flashed a smile around the table. She had a deep, thrilling voice and her pearls were magnificent, Monnie thought.

She was startled, therefore, to hear Faneway's whisper a moment later.

"Woolworth's," he murmured, jorking his handsome head in the direction of the red-haired woman.

Monnie could scarcely believe he had spoken, so impassive was his lean brown countenance. She supposed he must be right. Probably if you were born a Faneway you knew all about such things. Monnie felt sorry for the red-haired woman. Perhaps she, too, didn't belong in this group. Mr. Faneway at least seemed to regard her as an outsider. He was so elegant, so cynical for one so young. He seemed to have been born bored.

The dinner progressed from one course to another. Wine stewards came and went, jangling their keys, pouring pale coloured liquids into crystal stemmed glasses. The railroad president drank, unbent and talked. Monnie thought him very pleasant, although grim. Harris Faneway drank and grew more monosyllabic. Corinth drank and laughed a great deal, her lovely mouth twisting cynically as she spoke.

Monnie left the glass at her plate untouched. She needed no such spur to make the party exciting. The scene itself was enough for her—the beautifully gowned women, the imperturbable men of affairs, the well-trained servants moving to and fro. Her eye flashed a message to Miss Anstie, "This is life—at last I am seeing it. The Great World!"

Miss Anstie flushed back, wordlessly, "You are right. Make the most of it."

Recklessly Monnie decided that she would take whatever came on this adventure as a gift from the gods. She would be young only once. This was her golden opportunity.

It was in this mood she rose with the others from the table.

"Some of us are playing contract in the salon," Mackenzie said to her in a low tone. "Do you care to join?"

Monnie looked up, smiling. "I'm afraid I'm not clever enough. I don't play well."

His tone was relieved rather than otherwise. "Good. I'm not playing, myself. Will you take a turn on the deck with me?"

She assented and, after seeing Miss Anstie comfortably established at a table, strolled with her host on the almost deserted promenade. It was a clear, cool night of high winds and friendly stars. Belvedere and all her old problems seemed far away.

"You like—all this?" His long arm included the dancers within, the rhythmic pound of the unseen band, the slip-slip of feet.

"Oh, yes."

"Nothing to be desired, eh?"

Monnie withdrew her eyes and a sigh that was like a stab escaped her. "No—I wouldn't say that."

The older man eyed her keenly. "Never the time and place and the loved one together—" he said ruminatively.

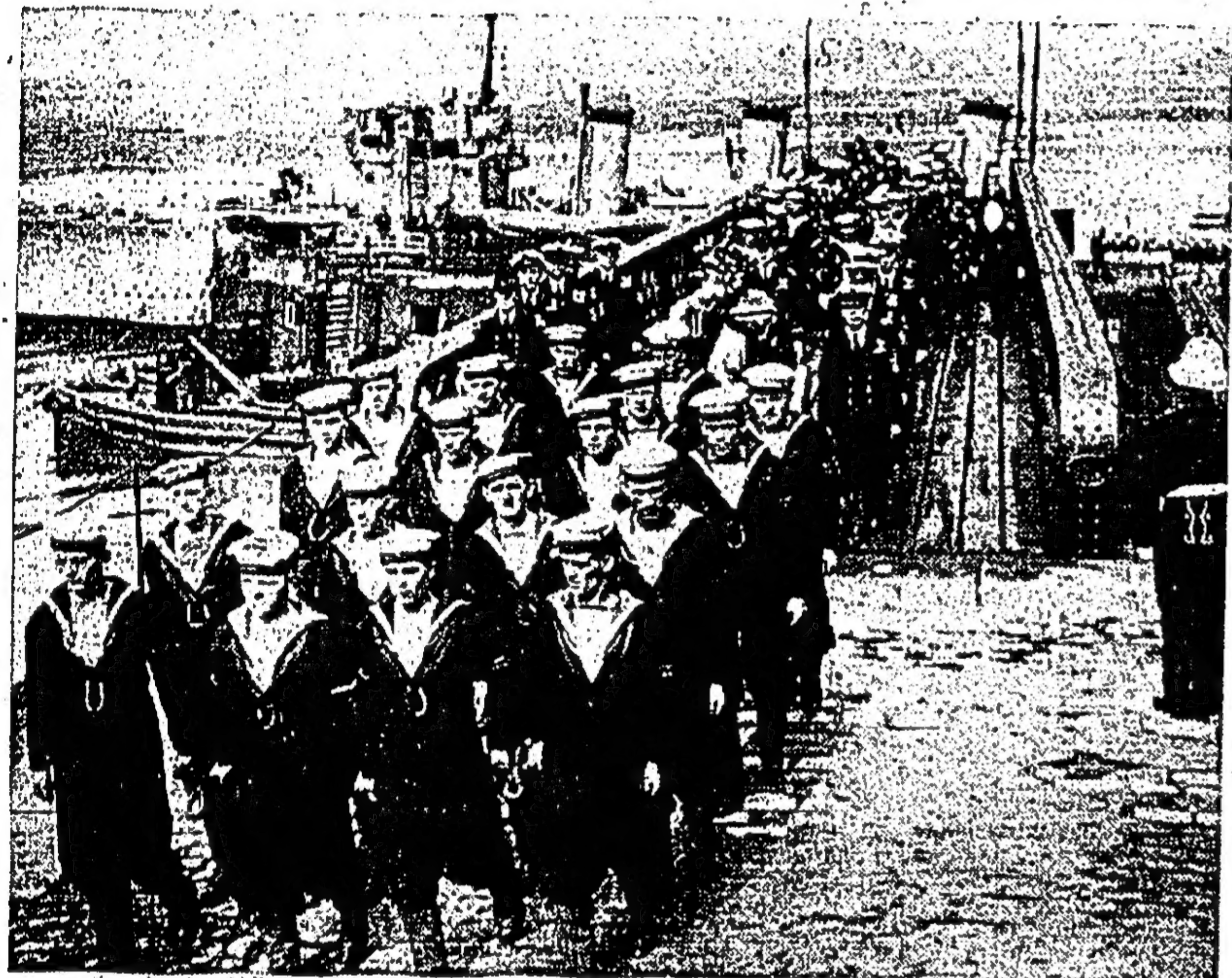
"I suppose that's it," admitted the girl ruefully. Then she turned aside in embarrassment. How easily this lynx-eyed man had guessed her secret. Did she, then, wear her heart on her sleeve for all to see?

But Arthur Mackenzie evidently dismissed the subject. "Do you know," he began in a low voice, "that you were quite the sensation in the dining room to-night?"

Monnie stared. Surely this man was making fun of her.

"But I am perfectly serious," he insisted. "Corinth was green-eyed—didn't you notice?—and everywhere people were whispering. 'Who is the golden girl?'"

(To be Continued.)



The body of Admiral Lord Wester Wemyss, the War-time naval hero, arrived at Chatham aboard H.M.S. Tempest. Picture shows the cortege leaving the ship for the dockyard church. (Planet News).



Louis McHenry Howe, President Roosevelt's first secretary, is shown here, left, as he denied to Senator Morris Shppard any responsibility for purchase of 200,000 higher-priced toilet kits for the forest army. Howe said he had no idea of influencing the purchase through his reference to the seller in a letter to forest army officials.



O. P. Van Sweringen, Cleveland railroad magnate, is shown here as he searched his memory for answers to questions in the Morgan inquiry. Van Sweringen drew the wrath of Ferdinand Pecora by his frequent "I can't remember" answers.

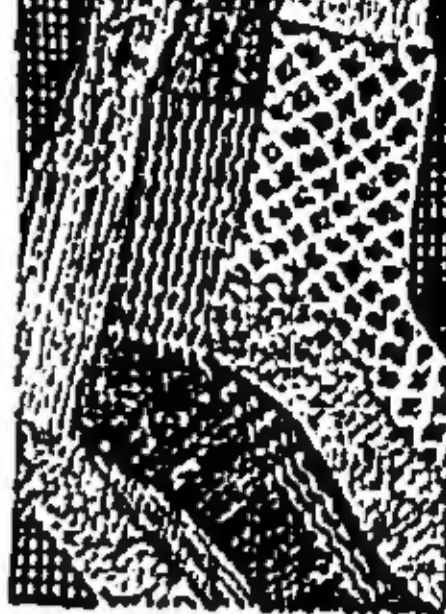


With more exhibits opening, attendance at Chicago's Century of Progress is setting marks nearly double that of the Columbia Exposition of 1893. Here is one of the late arrivals, the U. S. Navy.



Acclimating himself for his stay in the Philippines, Gov. Gen. Frank Murphy stopped off in Hawaii to sample Waikiki's famed beach. Here is the former mayor of Detroit in native South Sea garb.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY the 29th July to FRIDAY, the 4th August, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 11th July, 1933.

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BROKER CHARGED WITH
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Appearing before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court on Saturday, Leung Hin-ting, 42, a broker, was fined \$10 and bound over in a bond of \$100 for twelve months, for assaulting his concubine.

Defendant pleaded that the woman was out all day and night gambling and repeated requests by him for her to pay more attention to the home and the children were ignored.

Detective-Inspector Elston, of the S.C.A., prosecuting, said the parties were married for 19 years. They had nine children, five of whom died from a certain disease, and the defendant accused his wife of neglecting the four living children. He took her into a cubicle, locked the door, and beat her severely, and, it was alleged, struck her on the head with a stone pillow, causing a deep gash. The S.C.A. were informed and on arrival found the woman in a state of collapse. The medical report revealed multiple bruises, most of them of a tender nature, but seven definite ones over the left thigh. The S.C.A. considered the beating was excessive and severe, and although they did not wish to separate the parties, they wished the defendant to be placed on a bond.

Defendant stated his wife gambled continuously and on Thursday morning lay in bed asleep, and ignored the cries of the youngest child for its mother.

As a consequence the breakfast table was not cleared and the floors were not cleaned. Enraged, he beat his wife, but felt ashamed to come to Court to have his domestic troubles aired. He invited his Worship to look at the woman, and to judge by her facial appearance whether she was good or bad!

Magistrate—You have been married for nineteen years, I understand.

Defendant—I cannot recollect. Magistrate—And she has borne you nine children.

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LESSON SERMON.

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"Life" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "This is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent" (John 17:3).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And Moses said unto God, Behold, when I come unto the children of Israel, and shall say unto them, The God of your fathers hath sent me; and they shall say to me, What is his name? What shall I say unto them? And God said unto Moses, I Am That I Am; and he said, Thus shalt thou say unto the children of Israel, I Am hath sent me to you" (Ex: 9: 13-14).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The continual contemplation of existence as material and corporeal—as beginning and ending, and with birth, decay, and dissolution—as its component stages—hides the true and spiritual Life, and causes our standard to trail in the dust. If Life has any starting-point whatsoever, then the great I Am is a myth" (p.650).

PRISONER'S CHILD.

BABY GIRL VICTIM OF
PNEUMONIA

Sitting as Coroner at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday morning, Mr. Butters conducted an inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of a child Au So-har, aged three months, daughter of a female prisoner at Lai-chikok Prison. The child passed away at 6 a.m. on Friday.

Mr. A. E. Tavares, one of the jury members summoned to appear, was not present when his name was called. He turned up later and was ordered by the Coroner to remain in Court until the inquiry was over.

The jury empanelled consisted of Messrs. G. A. Nicholls (Foreman), W. C. Felschow and Chung Shau-ki.

It was given in evidence that deceased was the daughter of a female-prisoner of Lai-chikok who was serving a sentence for a breach of the Opium Ordinance. Death, it was stated, was due to bronchial pneumonia.

After hearing all the evidence, the jury returned a verdict of "death through natural causes."

AMBULANCE WORK.

THEATRICAL PERFORMANCES
AT KO SHING THEATRE

Arrangements are now under-way for a series of Chinese theatrical performances to be staged at the Ko Shing Theatre in aid of the St. John Ambulance Brigade medical work in the New Territories.

The amateur troupe which played so successfully last year for the same object will again at the theatre for three nights commencing from the 21st. Instant. Its last performances won great admiration. Since then the troupe has been greatly augmented, new stars having joined and many gorgeous dresses and new paintings for use on the stage acquired. The acts presented will be entirely different.

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| Australia and Manila | Kitano Maru | July 20. |
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| Japan and Shanghai | Hakusan Maru | July 21. |
| Straits | Fushimi Maru | July 21. |
| Manila | Hakusan Maru | July 21. |
| Japan | Pres. Jefferson | July 21. |
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| Shanghai | Pres. Pierce | July 21. |
| Straits | Somali | July 21. |
| U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 30th June) | Aeneas | July 24. |
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| | Tilawa | July 25. |

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| Tuesday. | | |
| Batavia | Tjileboet | Tues., July 18, 10.30 a.m. |
| Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Tonkin | | Tues., July 18, 1 p.m. |
| Haiphong | | |
| Shanghai | Athos II | Tues., July 18, 2 p.m. |
| Swatow, Amoy and Foochow | Haiching | Tues., July 18, 8 p.m. |
| Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco 7th Aug.) | President Hoover | Tues., July 18. |
| | Parcels | July 18, 8 p.m. |
| | Reg. | July 18, 4.15 p.m. |
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| | K. P. O. | |
| Reg. | July 18, 4.30 p.m. | |
| Letters | July 18, 5 p.m. | |
| Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and South American Ports | Santos Maru | Wed., July 19, 10.30 a.m. |
| Amoy | Tainan | Wed., July 19, 8.30 p.m. |
| Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | Ajax | Wed., July 19. |
| | (Due Marseilles, 18th August). | |
| | K. P. O. | |
| Reg. | July 19, 1 p.m. | |
| Letters | July 19, 1 p.m. | |
| Manila | Emp. of Russia | Wed., July 19, 4.30 p.m. |
| Thursday. | | |
| Saigon *Ceylon, *India, *Mauritius, Aramis, *East and *South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | | Thurs., July 20. |
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| Japan | Kitano Maru | Fri., July 21, 9.30 a.m. |
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| Swatow, Amoy and Foochow | Hai Ning | Fri., July 21, 8 p.m. |
| Shanghai and Japan | Hakusan Maru | Fri., July 21, 3.30 p.m. |
| Manila | Pres. Pierce | Fri., July 21, 5 p.m. |
| Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B.C., and Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 8th August). | Pres. Jefferson | Fri., July 21. |
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| | Reg. | July 21, 4.15 p.m. |
| | Letters | July 21, 5 p.m. |
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| Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island | Kamo Maru | Sat., July 21. |
| (Due Thursday Island, 3rd August.) | | |
| *Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | | Sat., July 22. |
| | (Due Marseilles, 21st August.) | |
| | K.P.O. | |
| Reg. | July 21, 4.30 p.m. | |
| Letters | July 22, 9 a.m. | |
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| Reg. | July 22, 9 a.m. | |
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| Letters for "Bandoeng-Amsterdam Somal Air Mail Service" | | Sat., July 22. |
| | K. P. O. | |
| Reg. | July 21, 4.30 p.m. | |
| Letters | July 21, 5 p.m. | |
| Sunday. | | |
| Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow | Haiching | Tues. July 25, 8 p.m. |
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AMBULANCE THAT TURNED BACK

Dying Man 70 Yards Away

OVER THE BOUNDARY

The "very definite instructions" which were responsible for an ambulance driver going to within 70 yards of a dying man and then turning back were strongly criticised at an inquest at Kingston.

The inquest was on William Edgar Wright, aged 29, a commercial traveller, of Worthington-road, Tolworth, who was fatally injured on the Kingston-by-pass road when his car somersaulted twice after a collision. His passenger was injured.

Police Constable Blatch said that the Surbiton ambulance arrived, and turned back because the accident was 70 yards over the boundary.

The Foreman—Had not the police authority to command the Surbiton ambulance to take that poor fellow to hospital?

Police Constable Blatch—The local council has authority over the ambulance service.

The Foreman—I think it is a great shame on the part of the ambulance man, even if he had to go out of his district. It does not show much sympathy. It is nonsense that he should not move over the boundary mark.

Police Constable Brickles said that he told the driver of the Surbiton ambulance to call the Malden ambulance, but he reversed and went away. The Malden ambulance was called by a motor-coach driver.

Mr. R. H. Wright, clerk to Surbiton Urban Council, said that the driver of the Surbiton ambulance had very definite instructions which were framed in conjunction with neighbouring authorities a few years ago that he was not on any account to cross the boundary into adjoining districts.

QUESTION OF CHARGES.

Mr. H. Tonbridge, Sanitary Inspector of the Malden Urban Council, said that cooperation between the Malden and Surbiton Councils was suggested some years ago, but it was chiefly a question of signing an agreement on the payment of charges.

Malden Council were willing to co-operate in accident cases so that nothing of this kind should happen. During the last twelve months the Malden ambulance had gone into the Surbiton area on at least six occasions.

Mr. Wright said that on one occasion a Surbiton ambulance driver went into an adjoining district, and later received a message from the authority concerned not to go there in future. It was not Malden.

Mr. Farley (a motor-coach driver)—Is there anything in the regulations of Surbiton Council which would prevent a driver leaving his ambulance and going over the boundary to render aid?

Mr. Wright—I am not here to answer questions.

Mr. Farley—I think it is an absolute scandal.

The Coroner (Dr. W. J. Lord) said that human life was the first consideration in every case. He did not think anyone would have

OXFORD BUILT ALL WRONG

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Are Oxford colleges, and even their modern extensions, built on an uneconomic plan?

The success of an experiment which has been tried in Queen's College for several years now without a flaw suggests that this is the case. It substitutes the typical Oxford and Cambridge habit of building "vertically" by an attempt at building "horizontally."

At present every staircase in an Oxford or Cambridge college is a little kingdom to itself, with two or three rooms on each floor, and no connection at all with the other rooms on the same floor, which can only be reached by way of the ground floor and the quadrangle.

Each of these staircases is ruled by a scout, who tells scores of times a day up and down the two or three flights of stairs attending to the needs of his charges. This daily knee-drill, though it may have much to do with the prowess of college servants on the playing field, is not economic.

SCOUTS' GREATER WORK.

Accordingly, all the rooms on the top floor of one side of a quadrangle at Queen's were connected by a corridor, and two of the three staircases that had served them in their days of separation were sealed up. Then a scout was given charge of the floor.

It was soon found that, with all his rooms and work on one floor, instead of four, he could comfortably serve twice as many rooms as he could on the old system. In other words, undergraduates who had had to support two scouts before, now only needed to support one.

The consequent saving in expense may amount to as much as £10 per undergraduate per year, or well over 5 per cent. of the average Oxford total for college bills.

By a simple calculation, if 2,000 undergraduates are resident in college in Oxford (allowing for rather more in "digs"), £20,000 a year is being spent in the University for the medieval oddity of living in "vertical" lodgings.

blamed the driver of the Surbiton ambulance for taking the matter into his own hands and going over the boundary.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death and the foreman said that they regretted that the councils did not seem to agree regarding the saving of life. They hoped that "this boundary business" would be dispensed with and they considered that the Surbiton ambulance driver might have acted independently of whatever instructions were given to him.

EASIER TO DIE IN THE NORTH

WINTER POLLUTION OF THE AIR

BLAMING THE HOME FIRES

Lord Cozens-Hardy, in his inaugural address as President of the Royal Sanitary Institute Congress at Blackpool suggested that special attention should be directed to those nonpulmonary respiratory diseases, pneumonia and bronchitis, which were responsible for the excessive mortality so noticeable in later life among the industrial population.

He pointed out that Professor Greenwood, in dealing with this subject, had suggested that it was just as difficult to earn a living in a town in the South as in the North, but it was much easier to die in the North, particularly in the case of a man aged between 45 and 65 years.

"Modern hygiene," he continued, "has shown us that a polluted air supply is no more desirable than a polluted water supply, and it is possible that a partial solution of this problem will depend on the purifying of the air of our industrial towns of the north-west. This is by no means as simple a problem as the purification of our water supplies."

THE DOMESTIC GRATE.

"I think you will agree that in the average industrial town during the winter months the bulk of the air-pollution comes from the domestic fire-place. Until a smokeless fuel for domestic use is universally adopted it is practically useless to rely on regulations that affect only factory chimneys."

Referring to the nation's health services generally, Lord Cozens-Hardy said: "A panel patient receives efficient general practitioner service, probably much more efficient than he did in pre-National Health Insurance days, but unless he happens to subscribe to a voluntary hospital, his resources in a severe illness stop at that."

"It is preached high and low that the remedy for industrial depression is rationalisation, and I suggest that a good dose of the same medicine would improve the health services of the community."

In the middle of last century, he added, the crude death-rate per thousand was about 30; to-day it was less than half that figure. In infant mortality in those "good old days," one out of every two children born died in the first four years, compared with one out of every seven nowadays.

Major-General P. H. Henderson, Director of Hygiene, War Office, said, "In the past we have rather been in the habit of neglecting diseases which are common and concentrating on others which appeal more to the scientific mind. There are signs that in recent years we are paying more attention to common diseases."

THE "FIGHTING SQUIRE"

A REMARKABLE CHARACTER

CELEBRATES HIS 86TH BIRTHDAY

London.

Sir Claude Champion de Crespigny, the famous "Fighting Squire," felt only one regret on his 86th birthday a week or so ago—he was not able to take his usual bout with a punching ball and his rowing exercise before breakfast.

Up to two months ago, Sir Claude never missed a morning, except on those days at Cowes when often with Lady de Crespigny he would stroll down to the sea and take a dip when the temperature would have made many youngsters turn back.

But two months ago, Sir Claude caught a chill and he has only just come downstairs. He hopes, however, to resume his daily boxing and rowing soon.

"All round sportsman" hardly describes Sir Claude fully. He is that, and more, for he has been soldier and sailor, war correspondent and balloonist, big game hunter and something of an explorer, and has packed so many adventures into his life that to read only a part of them would make one think it almost incredible that a man could go through them without being killed.

SOME ACCIDENTS.

And nearly killed he has been many times. A few of his accidents are:

Both legs broken in a balloon accident;

Three broken arms (at sundry times) while hunting;

Three broken ribs while steeple-chasing;

Rib broken in a cab mishap;

Fingers broken a number of times while boxing;

Repeated concussion—none of which has affected his general health; and

Nearly scalped by a favourite monkey.

Sir Claude now lives quietly at Maldon, Essex, and his house, Champion Lodge, is full of trophies he has won in different parts of the world. At Nairobi when in his 69th year, for instance, he did the "hat trick" by winning, at the East Africa Turf Club races, the three events which are equivalent to the English Derby, Ascot Gold Cup and Grand National, and was beaten by only a head in the next race. He never realised, however, his ambition to win the Grand National at Aintree, for his mount Corrieze broke down. One of the things of which he is most proud is that in forty years in the saddle no objection has been made to his riding.

FEW ADVENTURES.

Some of his adventures have been:

Escaped from the coils of a python;

Flung the North Sea in a balloon (believed to be the first time this feat was accomplished);

Jumped into a shark-infested river to rescue a man;

Fought a wounded tiger;

Climbed church steeples;

Jumped into a flooded river after a fox which had sought refuge on a hillock of grass in the water and dived after it when it was killed and sank;

Swum the narrow gut of the first Cataract of the Nile;

Fought a waterman for an hour and a half with his bare fists, although two fingers were broken, and did not stop until the police arrived;

Killed a charging rhinoceros at two paces by breaking its neck with a soft nosed bullet.

A PINT OF PORT.

As one of the old school Sir Claude deprecates the cocktail habit. "Give me a pint of port a night," he said once, "and I am content." He thinks modern people are apt to look after themselves too much and, as his life shows, believes in fresh air and athletic exercise—and plenty of it.

The "Fighting Squire" is the fourth baronet and head of a famous old Norman family which fought in the first Crusade and were champions of the Dukes of Normandy and Brittany. He and Lady de Crespigny celebrated their diamond wedding last September.

—Reuter.

DISTRESSED AREAS RELIEF SCHEME

DEADLOCK CAUSED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Negotiations Break Down

Negotiations between the Government and local authorities with a view to implementing the Government's scheme for bringing temporary relief to the distressed industrial areas of the North have broken down.

The cause of the breakdown is the refusal of the local authorities in the more prosperous areas to make the financial sacrifice required of them on behalf of the distressed areas.

The Government is thus confronted with the alternative of facing a new revolt of members of Parliament representing the distressed areas, or imposing their

scheme against the wishes of a large section of the remainder of the House of Commons.

The revolt of the members representing the distressed areas assumed formidable proportions some months ago before the Government granted their demand. The Minister of Health, Sir Edward Hilton Young, then proposed a permanent scheme for the relief of the promised comprehensive Unemployment Bill, and a temporary scheme to operate by consent until the passage of the Bill.

DE-RATING ACT GRANT.

The temporary scheme was set before representatives of the local authorities of the country at a conference held at the Ministry of Health some weeks ago. It was that the more prosperous areas should forgo £500,000 of their share of the block grant under the De-rating Act, and that this sum, together with an additional £250,000 to be contributed by the Exchequer, should be distributed among the distressed areas.

The Conference was adjourned in order that the local authorities should have time to examine the proposals. It has since emerged that, owing to the refusal of the more prosperous areas to forgo any

part of their block grants, no useful purpose would be served by a resumption of the Conference.

The demand for relief for the distressed areas came from members of Parliament of all parties. Their view of the present situation is expressed by the following resolution, passed at a meeting at the House of Commons over which Sir Nicholas Grattan-Doyle, Conservative member for North Newcastle, presided:

"That this committee of Members of Parliament, representing distressed areas, views with great anxiety the delay which has taken place in implementing the promise of the Minister of Health in the provision of monies to be found by the more fortunately placed local authorities for the relief of the able-bodied unemployed in the distressed areas, and, in view of the reported breakdown of the negotiations with the authorities concerned and the very pressing needs of the distressed areas, calls upon the Minister of Health to act upon his own initiative without delay."

Copies of the resolution will be sent to Sir Edward Hilton Young and to the Prime Minister, Mr. MacDonald, who will be requested to receive a deputation.

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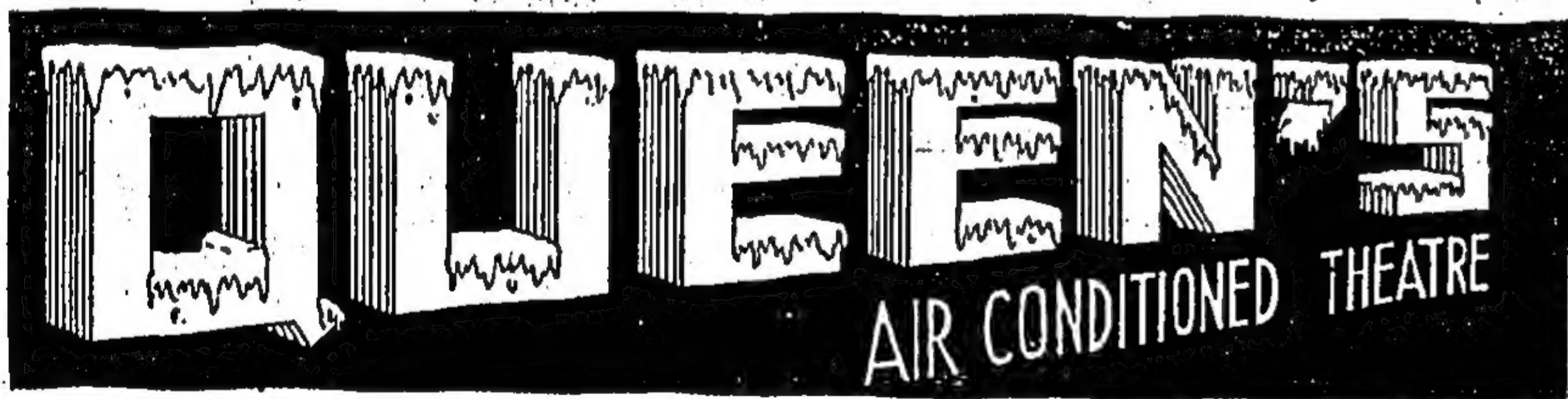
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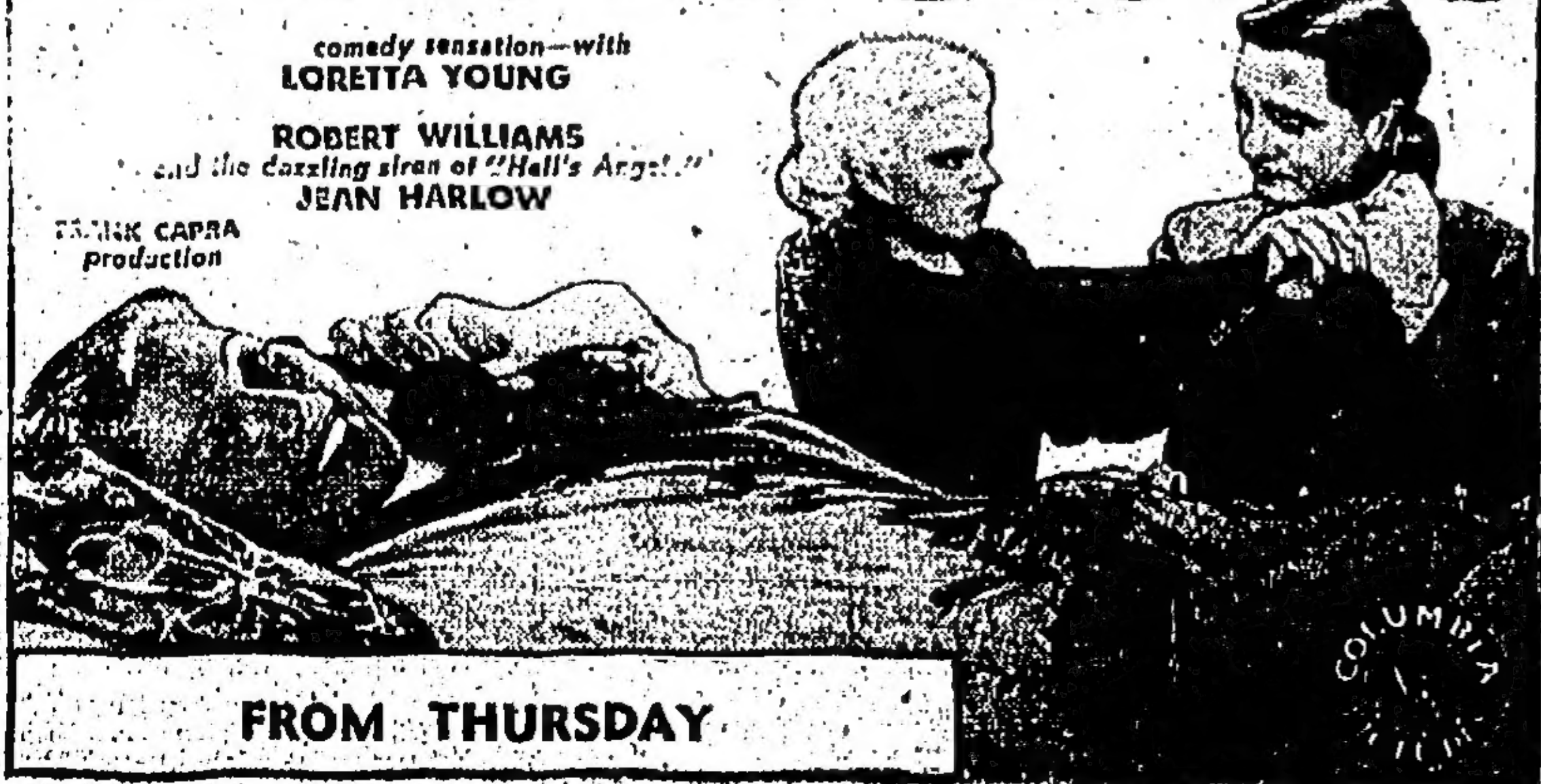
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The
Hongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, JULY 17, 1933.

C. E. R. CRISIS

The clumsiness of the attempts to persuade the Soviet to capitulate in the negotiations for the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway does not render the situation any the less dangerous. At the Conference itself, the Manchukuo delegates, gently prodded by their Japanese protectors, are finding it appropriate to pretend that the basic question at issue is not the sale of the railway, but the sale of such partial interests in the railway as she admits the Soviet owns. At Harbin, Mr. Li Shao-keng, Manchukuo chairman of the administrative board, threatens to oust all Soviet officials on the pretext that they are engaging in sabotage. In plain English, the Manchukuo authorities are informing the Soviet that unless they are prepared to dispose of their interests at a ridiculous figure, they may be faced with a new situation, the seizure of the railway out of hand. Russia has been moderate in her price requirements. She computes the cost of the railway at a figure in excess of 400,000,000 roubles. She is prepared to hand over entire control at a price of 250,000,000 roubles, composed of one-eighth in cash, three-eighths in bonds and one-half in goods. It seems a reasonable offer and Russia's good intentions can scarcely be called into question. But she is not allowing Tokyo to pull wool over her eyes. While desiring a peaceful settlement of all causes of dispute in the Far East, Moscow takes advantage of the presence in London of M. Litvinoff to remove all danger of a war threat upon her western frontiers. She establishes definitely friendly relations with her neighbours in the west through a series of clearly-worded non-aggression pacts. This step is hailed as a diplomatic triumph for M. Litvinoff. It is also a political triumph. Few there are who can doubt that Russia's hurry was dictated by her concern over developments in the Far East. M. Litvinoff's activities in London were little less than subtle warnings to Japan and the fact that they have made no impression must appear as a danger-signal rather than as a sign that Japan will eventually get her way, according to her own desires. In the past few weeks, the situation will bear careful watching.

NOTES OF THE DAY

We did an injustice to Mr. G. C. Pelham in crediting him with only two years' service in China. Before taking up his appointment at the Legation in Peking, Mr. Pelham spent some time in England, in the Department of Overseas Trade, with the result that his name did not appear in the China Consular List for 1930-31. Prior to that, however, he was, we understand, attached to the British Consulate-General in Tientsin, first as clerical officer and later as Vice-Consul. Latterly he has been attached to the office of H. M. Commercial Counsellor in Shanghai. It was very far from our intention to discount Mr. Pelham's services, although the new facts disclosed do not change our view that unless Mr. Pelham has some surprises in store for the Colony, the appointment of a consular official as the British trade representative in Hongkong provides no cause for enthusiasm.

THE FLYING ARMADA

General Balbo and his flying armada have completed their flight from Rome to Chicago. A cynic may point out that it has taken the Italians fourteen days to complete the journey taking longer than the sea trip. But the flying armada was not out to break speed records. The flight was naturally one of propaganda, but it also had behind it the spirit of international goodwill. It was spectacular because it was ambitious, but it was carried out with little fuss and with so much efficiency that the whole world stands by and applauds. The arrival of the armada in Chicago has set the seal of success upon the World Fair. In this mission alone the flyers have every reason to be satisfied with themselves.

THE DAVIS CUP

Britain has advanced another stage in the Davis Cup. Through Austin, Perry and Hughes, she has qualified to meet America in the Inter-Zone final. Although Englishmen have cause for pride and satisfaction in the achievement, one cannot help but feel that Australia made it easier for Britain than was expected. With the result obviously depending on the doubles match, Mr. Youdale, the Australian team manager, would have been justified in some courageous experimenting. Crawford was as necessary to form part of the doubles combination as gasoline is to keep a car running. McGrath, Quist or Turnbull could have played with him and any of the combinations would have given Hughes and Perry something to worry about. As it was they had a gift match. The most surprising feature of the series was the generally "low standard" of play. Even the victorious Englishmen cannot regard their work with complete satisfaction, and improvement is essential if the next hurdle is to be negotiated.

DAWN OF A NEW WORLD

Recurrent prophecies of the "end of the world" are apt to leave the majority of mankind cold. There have been so many of them, and all, according to the popular interpretation of this event, have been disproved. But it is at least a matter of more than passing interest that one of these prophecies should have coincided with the meeting of the World Economic Conference in London, which set out in the belief that it was the most comprehensive, far-reaching and authoritative conference the world has ever known. The advanced thinker of to-day is very generally coming to realise that the world we behold and experience is primarily one of thought, that matter is merely hypothetical substance. This being so, the "end of the world" must be primarily mental also. We were therefore reasonably hoping that there was some truth in current prophecy, and that we were about to see a great change of thought, the end of an old world and the dawning of a new—war and fierce economic competition seemed natural and inevitable, and the dawn of a new world based on a growing understanding of the brotherhood of men and nations. At the moment, it would seem nearer the truth to suggest that the world may come to an end through a descent into chaos, the most hideous and fearful of all catastrophes, and that the most hideous and fearful of all catastrophes may be the end of all humanity.

HOW THE WAR DEBTS HAVE GROWN

By HAROLD G. CARDOZO

The debts which are hampering world trade, and creating an artificial flow of money which has nearly ruined world credit, and have been mainly responsible for the present world economic depression, may be classified as follows:

1. Reparations payments due by Germany to Great Britain and the other Allies which amounted at the outset to \$6,600,000,000.
2. Inter-Allied debts and debts owed by the Allies to the United States and amounting to a grand total of \$3,062,600,000.
3. Debts owed by the old Imperial Russian Government, but repudiated by the Soviet Government, amounting to \$686,000,000, of which two-thirds at least were advanced by Great Britain.

The reparation payments were imposed on Germany to make good the actual loss and damage caused by war. The inter-governmental loans were means of carrying on the war, and their product was mainly spent in buying shells, guns, and food. The story of the Russian debts, needs no explanation.

AMERICA'S HARVEST.

In this connexion it is interesting to note that while the total Allied debt to the United States, including post-armistice loans, amounted to \$1,949,600,000, Allied purchases and payments in the United States between April 1917 and November 1920 were as large as \$2,373,400,000.

In other words the Allies actually paid into the United States \$423,800,000 more than they borrowed.

The following table shows clearly how much the debtor Allied States owed Great Britain and the terms the British Government granted them for the repayment of debts by annuities:

| Debt. | Amount Remitted |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| France \$600,000,000 | \$345,000,000 |
| Italy \$660,000,000 | \$478,000,000 |
| Yugoslavia .. \$26,000,000 | \$16,000,000 |
| Greece \$21,000,000 | \$10,000,000 |
| Rumania ... \$18,400,000 | \$10,400,000 |
| Portugal ... \$20,000,000 | \$12,000,000 |

GENEROUS BRITAIN.

The British Government erred on the side of generosity. But it was calculated that these payments with the reparations Germany should have paid would equal the sum that the British Treasury was due to pay the United States.

The German reparation debt originally stood at the figure of \$6,600,000,000. This was commuted, however, after a series of breakdowns of payments, by the Dawes Plan, which provided for 56 annuities, averaging \$100,000,000 each.

Germany finally paid Great Britain and the Allies up to the date of the Lausanne Conference of last year the sum of \$225,000,000. All this money, with the exception of about \$100,000,000 retained by France as reparations, has been passed on to the United States Treasury.

The British Government has paid out not only all that it has received from reparations and Allied debt

instalments to the United States, but has actually paid over and above that amount, and therefore from the pockets of the British taxpayers, an extra sum of \$200,000,000.

It is interesting to recall the figures given at the Bale Experts Conference. They showed that Germany, in making her payments, had merely been using borrowed money all the time. The United States had lent to Europe, and mainly to Germany, during the period when reparations were actually being paid over, \$380,000,000, while Great Britain had lent to Germany further sums amounting to over half this amount.

AFTER THE BOOM.

When the boom period came to an end, when Germany could no longer borrow abroad, either for her private commercial bills or for her public debt instalments, reparations broke down.

This fact was clearly recognised and duly stressed in the report of the financial expert at Bale which was issued just before Christmas 1931. There was the germ of a total debt cancellation plan when the experts recommended that, if reparations were to be abolished, it would not be fair to put the whole burden on the European creditor nations who, in their turn, were debtors to the United States.

At this stage it is interesting to consider exactly how this European indebtedness to the United States stands at present. The principal settlements of war debts made by the United States are contained in the following table:

| Debt. | Amount Remitted |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Gt. Britain .. \$920,000,000 | \$162,400,000 |
| France \$305,000,000 | \$400,000,000 |
| Italy \$408,000,000 | \$208,000,000 |

While we let off our principal debtor, France, by asking only a present value of \$255,000,000 out of a total debt of \$600,000,000, thus remitting the huge sum of \$345,000,000, our own position with regard to the United States as shown by the above table is very different.

The United States Treasury has been demanding from us annuities of a present total value of \$757,600,000, out of a total debt of \$920,000,000, and is thus letting us off only \$162,400,000, or 18 per cent. of our obligation. Great Britain is letting off France 57 per cent. of her debt and Italy as much as 85 per cent.

But in the dreary history of debt discussion there came the bright interlude of Lausanne. There the European debtor and creditor nations looked facts in the face. They all saw that in reality no debts were being paid, but only fresh ones made.

UNTOLD LOSSES.

Germany had been paying reparations, but had been borrowing the money from the United States and from Great Britain to do so. The Allies were taking as reparations money which they received from the United States, were paying it back one to the other, and finally all of it was going back to its original source, America. The process was entailing untold loss, and was restricting credit. And nobody was one iota the better (Continued on Next Column.)

The Very Idea!

ECONOMISING

By Edward "Abigail" Kelly.

IN these times of financial misery, it looks as if it's up to us to issue a couple of clarion calls.

What we women must do now that the dollar is rising is economise.

Girls, be frugal, like us. Strike while the iron is hot, and the clothes are all damped down.

If you have been used to wearing silk stockings go without. If you wear silk dresses, cut 'em out. If you've been in the habit of wearing ribbon in your hair, get your hair bobbed. If you continually wear pink—But let it lie, let it lie.

There's too much spendthriftishness in Hongkong to-day. Once upon a time women were content if their life took them to the pictures. Now they want supper afterwards.

Girls, we can't do those sort of things any longer. We've got to economise.

Onion pickles with our corned beef may be okay at Government House, but for the likes of you and us it savours too much of self-indulgence.

We've worked out a method of keeping a family of ten or thereabouts on ten bucks a week.

Food, of course, is the main item, and for our gimlets and angel's kisses we'll have to rely on the boys.

We have drawn up a menu for the main meal for every day in the week. For the other meals, we're also relying on the imagination of our readers.

All that is needed to provide dinner for the week is:

- 1 pig's head 1 potato
- 1 fish 1 apple
- 1 egg 1 lai chee
- 1 cucumber 1 banana

Two dollars will easily cover the lot and leave something over in case of unexpected visitors.

MONDAY: Pig's head (boiled), banana boiled in jacket, grated cucumber.

TUESDAY: Pig's head soup, devilled pig's ear, stuffed lai chee.

WEDNESDAY: Crumbled pork with mashed potato, fried apple.

THURSDAY: Pig's curry garnished with cucumber rind, apple core with cream (face or shaving).

FRIDAY: Scale soup, boiled fish with other half of potato, butterless bread and butter pudding.

SATURDAY: Stuffed scrambled egg with fish, gravy (see Friday) and tea leaves, baked apple pips.

SUNDAY: Roast pig skull, other half of egg with tooth paste garnish, food arsenic.

Always save your bath tub water for stock. Never clean pots and pans. It wears them out.

Other little economies can be practised. With soap, for instance. When washing, never wash the lather off the body. Let it dry into the skin. Next time the body will only need molesting and rubbing, and the lather will reappear. With care, one rubbing of soap should last a month. In winter time, of course, much longer.

Great saving in gas may be made by going for your life for as long as you can and then having it cut off. The one gas bill will then last for years.

As regards landlords, time-payment collectors, and other odds and ends which we have grouped as "extras" these should be kept going, even in the most rigidly economical household. It is always nice to have someone calling around. One must not neglect one's social life, and, after all, it's easy to say, "No chance, old son. Biff off, and don't slam the gate."

Polltiness costs nothing. Next week we will explain how to knit a jumper for a family of 12 out of a cast-off gas mantle.

save, perhaps, the banks who handled the transfers.

Lausanne therefore decided that reparation payments should come to an end, and that inter-governmental debts should also come to an end, providing that some satisfactory arrangement could be made with the United States.

She is the last creditor nation to stand out.

Everybody else has agreed to wipe debts off their books and to start afresh.

Everybody is agreed that that is the only sane policy, and the only policy which will bring back prosperity and will enable the present World Economic Conference to be crowned with success.

It is to be hoped that the United States will now bring her contribution to this common sacrifice and endeavour.



"I despise parties, but if you don't go they stop inviting you."

**DOLE CENTRE
"DOPE"****Master of Balliol
Attacks System****PLAYING DRAUGHTS
FOR TWO YEARS**

"We are allowing the wealth of England to rot before our eyes," declared the Master of Balliol (Dr. A. D. Lindsay) in an address at the Conference of Occupational Centres in London.

The wealth of England, added Dr. Lindsay, lay in the organisation, independence, initiative, and skill of its great working class population.

"I am appalled," he said, "by the loss to the organised social structure of working class life which results when unemployed men are unable to retain their membership of their Trade Unions. The Trade Unions are confronted with an entirely new situation, and I do not think they realise it or are grappling with it."

If an unemployment centre was nothing but a recreational centre it was nothing but dope. He (Dr. Lindsay) visited one centre which had been in existence for two years, and when he asked what the men did there he was told that they played draughts.

FOR TWO YEARS.

"Fancy playing draughts for two years!" said Dr. Lindsay. "Anything more like Hell I cannot imagine. No decent man wants to play games the whole time. Of course, if you do it professionally it becomes a job, and that is a different matter. But to set unemployed men playing games all the time is rather worse than nothing."

Dr. J. J. Mallon stated that there had been a considerable rise in employment figures for the hotel and catering trade recently.

"For that improvement," said Dr. Mallon, "we have to thank the Economic Conference. Whether that Conference can or cannot do the great things we hope from it, at least it can eat. It has begun that part of its work with proper gusto."

Mr. Verity, of Camberwell, said that some recreational centers were doomed to failure because they were not run on the right lines. "Some centres," he said, "are wonderful places for 'Red' propaganda. In most centres you get the 'fixtures'—those who are called 'genuine unemployed,' because they have done no work for forty years and do not intend to."

**KIPLING AS POET
AND PREACHER****MR. AMERY'S TRIBUTE****"IDEAL OF THE
EMPIRE"**

"The better part of him, like Horace of old, will live as long as the British Empire endures and the English language is spoken," Mr. L. S. Amery, M.P., used those words in proposing the toast of "Rudyard Kipling" at the annual luncheon of the Kipling Society in London.

"He will live as the greatest story-teller of our age," continued Mr. Amery, "but I believe he will live even longer as a poet. He will live so long because good poetry lives longer than good prose. It represents thought in a more crystallised form, and in Mr. Kipling's case the crystals are both clear and vivid in colouring and enduring in substance."

"Kipling is not only a story-teller, but a preacher and a prophet. His preaching has been the ideal of the British Empire."

PRIDE OF RACE.

It was the fashion to describe Kipling as "Jingo," but what he had done was to preach true pride in our race and achievements.

"When we come to poems like 'Recessional' and 'The Children's Song,'" said Mr. Amery, "I doubt if, in any language or in any country, patriotism has been preached in a nobler strain or in a less selfish and aggressive tone."

Kipling had made to live for us, and for future generations, the whole of that Indian official and unofficial life which was so great a part both of the life of India and of the Empire. The India of those days had gone, but some of its essential features remained, and Select Committees would do well to study poems like "What Happened" and "Arithmetic on the Frontier."

The toast of "The Kipling Society and its President" was proposed by Lord Rennell, who described Mr. Kipling as the "bridge between the East and the West, the bridge which carried the English people to the ends of the world to do the world's work."

**TRICK CYCLIST COMES
TO GRIEF****CRASH INTO MOTOR-CAR
AND LATER FINED**

A Chinese apprentice tailor, Kwan Hi, came to grief on Saturday night as the result of trick cycling on a push bicycle in Queen's Road Central. He endangered patrons emerging from the Queen's and King's Theatres, and ended his episode by crashing into a motor car. He was not injured. Traffic-Sergeant Howell came on the scene and took the tailor to the Police Station.

Defendant appeared in the dock of the Central Police Court this morning, before Mr. Wynne-Jones charged with reckless driving.

He admitted the charge, and said he was arrested after he had fallen.

A fine of \$5 or five days' gaol was imposed, his Worship remarking—"You are not to play tricks on your bicycle in a traffic street. You will do it once too often and you will fall in front of a car and be killed and someone will be accused of manslaughter."

**WRIGHT'S LIMERICK
COMPETITION****THE SUCCESSFUL LAST
LINES**

The following were the winning efforts in the Wright's Coal Tar Soap limerick competition, together with the first four lines:

When you wake on the Peak in the morning,
With the fog you will not feel forlorn,
If you reach for your rights,
You will know the delights
"JAPE"—Of your rights, if its Wright's, though its worn
"FREAKLES"—Of the joy of a brick happy dawn.

With water restrictions and heat life isn't so much of a treat;
If it were not for "WRIGHT'S"
And a few hectic nights,
"CEDRIC"—Life wouldn't be nearly so sweet.

Winners are requested to apply to Messrs. Gilman & Co. for their prizes.

**POPE VISITS THE
ALBAN HILLS****SUFFOCATING HEAT
WAVE**

Rome, July 10.
For the first time since 1870, a Pope visited the Villa Castel Gandolfo in the Alban Hills today, when the present Pontiff made a trip to the spot which was once the regular summer resort of the Popes.

The visit was made under great secrecy and took place in order that His Holiness should escape for a few hours from the present suffocating heat wave which is prostrating the people of Rome.

The Pope returned later in the evening, after inspecting his model farm, which is one of the most remarkable farms in the world. His Swiss cows are milked by electricity and each papal hen bears an identity disc affixed to its legs, while each egg is stamped with the date and with the papal emblem.—*Reuter*.

**DEATH SENTENCE
FOR OFFICER****ATTEMPTED REVOLT
IN JUGOSLAVIA**

Belgrade, July 10.
The simmering unrest in Yugoslavia had a further repercussion today, when Lieutenant Roukavina, who was formerly an Austro-Hungarian army officer, and a man named Joulje were sentenced to death for attempting to stir up a revolt in Yugoslavia.

A further charge against them was one of illicit transport of arms from Italy to Yugoslavia.

Eight other persons were given sentences ranging from imprisonment for life to nine months in prison.

Two other accused men were acquitted.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE INFINITELY LITTLE HAVE A PRIDE INFINITELY GREAT.—*Voltaire*.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Wm. Yinson Lee and Miss Dorothy Wen-Teh Fong of Shanghai. The wedding will take place at the Community Church, Shanghai, on July 22nd, and the honeymoon will be spent in South China and Hongkong.

**COLOURS TO BE
STANDARDISED****WHEN "SKY BLUE"
WILL BE LIKE THE SKY****EVEN "OLD ROSE"
TO BE DEFINED**

The rainbow is to meet with the searching criticism of half the most formidable experts in the country.

When the approval of the British Colour Council's views on the subject has been given, "old rose" no longer do duty for everything between "apricot" and "plum," including faded pillar-boxes on the way, nor will the colours of the Mediterranean, the violet, and the Air Force be reproduced in dress materials and ribbon as "saxe blue."

Instead all the Englishwoman's 200 favourite excerpts from the rainbow will have a local habitation and an official name. And the experts concerned with colour, from the makers of tiles and wall-papers to the makers of paint-boxes and gloves, will be at the christening.

Every trade concerned with colour has sent samples of the colours it uses most and regards as more or less permanent necessities to the British Colour Council for its British Empire list. Experts have endeavoured to sort them and decide what they really are.

The samples of "saxe blue," for instance, a colour for which there is always a demand, often bore so faint a resemblance to each other that the mystery of "saxe blue" curtains that clash with "sky blue" walls and both with the actual sky, became painfully simple.

In this case Mr. R. F. Wilson, the manager of the Council, referred to the sky itself for the verdict. When puzzled over "heliotrope" he bought one; when faced with a vivid contrast in "chardreuse greens" he ordered the original.

For other shades, like the omnipresent "saxe" blue or "wine," he tried to settle on the idea concealed in the rainbow variety of articles submitted, and standardised that.

But this list will apply only to the "commoners" of the realm of colour.

The colours of British fashion are subtle, constantly changing, irrefragable to ordinary law and order, and they will come and go as madly and as gaily as ever, and challenge the novelties of Paris and New York.

CHINA'S FUTURE.**ENORMOUS POSSIBILITIES
INVOLVED**

London, July 16.
Enormous possibilities for the future of China are stated to be involved in the special meeting of the League Council Committee on Technical Co-operation in China, to be held in Paris on Tuesday next and which several important League officials now in London, will attend.

The so-called Japanese menace is alleged to have stimulated the interests of certain Powers in developing China in the most liberal manner and for seeking definite machinery before maintaining the Open Door policy.

It is contemplated that the Committee will form a permanent liaison body to maintain contact between China and the League, so that any demands for co-operation and system may be organised promptly.—*Reuter*.

**WARSAW RAILWAY
JUNCTION****BIG CONTRACT AWARDED
TO BRITISH FIRMS**

London, July 10.
A four-year contract, amounting to about £2,000,000, for the electrification and completion of the main Warsaw railway junction, was agreed upon in principle today between the Polish Minister of Finance, Dr. Koc, who is here for the World Economic Conference, and two big British companies. These are the English Electric Co. and the Metropolitan Vickers Electric Co., which recently has been much in the limelight owing to the trial of its representatives in Soviet Russia.—*Reuter*.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" is due at Kobo on Wednesday at 6.00 a.m.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" is due at Hongkong on Wednesday at 8.00 a.m., leaves for Manila at 6.00 p.m.

Mr. Kuchi Higashi, a graduate of the University of Birmingham, is authorised to practise as a dentist in the Colony.

**LEPROSY STILL
VIRULENT****THROUGH INFECTED
CHILDREN****A CAMPAIGN**

London.

The grim scourge of leprosy, which has been practically stamped out in the countries of the temperate zone, still calls for years of battling before it is crushed in several parts of the Empire, and discussion about how this can best be done was heard at a meeting in London of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association.

Sir Leonard Rogers contended that: "If infection of all children could be prevented, leprosy would die out."

He pointed out that the value, in not too advanced cases, of injections of soluble forms of the active principles of chaulmoogra and hydnocarpus oils had now passed the realms of controversy. "Indeed," he said, "we now possess the means to reduce leprosy greatly within a single decade."

Some eighty per cent of infections were contracted by living in the same house as an active leper, and the incubation period in eighty per cent of the cases was less than five years.

"If the house contacts of all discovered cases are examined repeatedly for ten years to detect and clear up in the early and little infective stages—there would remain too few contagious cases to maintain the disease."

PLAN SUCCESSFUL.

Sir Leonard said they had proved the efficiency of this plan in Nauru Island in the Pacific, and in the Southern Sudan. In the Sudan 6,500 cases were found in an infected area. The 4,800 infective cases were put into a colony and treated and within the last year 2,230 had been discharged free from all signs of the disease.

Remarkable progress had been made in India. In the Central Provinces and Madras alone 50,000 were being treated and about 1,000 doctors had been taught modern methods of treatment.

In tropical Africa it had been found that children were most susceptible to the disease, half the total infection taking place below the age of twenty. "Children," Sir Leonard declared "are the key to the leprosy problem."

PITIFUL CONDITIONS.

The Rev. P. B. ("Tubby") Clayton, the founder of Toc H, who has just returned from Africa and the East, spoke of the pitiful conditions he had seen in some of the leper colonies.

He referred in particular to the situation at Kano, Northern Nigeria, a district not yet open to Christian Mission influence, and said that thanks to the ready help of the Toc H Group in the House of Commons he hoped that recommendations would go forward to remedy the position there.

He had found that the members of Toc H were eager to study the problem and a number, including medical students, nurses and young men, had volunteered to serve as European dispensers or on the educational staffs of Christian leper colonies.

He was convinced that the same spirit which Britain had shown towards the extermination of slavery could be roused to stamp out leprosy within the next fifty years.—*Reuter*.

**EXAMINATION SUCCESS
FETISH****HEADMASTER'S AD-
VICE TO EMPLOYERS**

Addressing the Conference of the Association of Education Committees at Brighton, Mr. Jenkyn Thomas, Secretary of the Association of Headmasters of Secondary Schools, said that white hair did not now produce the respect it used to. The other day he found that a horrid boy in his school had described him as a platinum blonde.

He did not believe in some modern teaching methods, and he did not believe in self-determination for boys in school. If a boy was self-determined in his school he got it in the neck, figuratively. Anatomically, he got it lower down.

What was wrong about the school certificate was that so many people paid so much attention to it, particularly employers. "It is really stupid on the part of employers to pay so much attention to examination success. Many boys who cannot pass the examinations are often better suited to the requirements of commerce and industry than those who can. Employers should go to the Secondary Schools and take the recommendation of the headmaster."

Mr. J. P. (Birmingham) said that what employers wanted was an impartial and impersonal

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Vocal Duet—The Keys of Heaven (Broadwood).
Vocal Duet—A Paradise for Two (Tate).
Alice Moxon and Stuart Robertson. C2014.

Duet for Two Pianos—Impromptu—Rococo (Schubert).
Harold Bauer and Ossip Gabrilowitsch. 8162.

Song—Harlequin (Sanderson).
Song—The Tune The Bo'sun Played (Loughborough).
Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone). 38679.

Violin Solo—Tango (Elman).
Violin Solo—Athena Leaf—Romance (Wagner-Wilhelm).
Micha Elman. 7195.

6.35-7.5 p.m.
Nights in the Garden of Spain (de Falla).
Symphony Orchestra conducted by Piero Coppola. 9703/9705.

7.5 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.
7.7-8 p.m. Variety.
Orchestra—La Guajira.
Don Asplazu and His Orchestra. B2298.

Violin Solo—Blue Skies.
Fritz Kreisler. 1233.

Vocal Duet—I've Found a Whole World in You.
Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. B3716.

Orchestra—I Don't Want to go to Bed.
Ambrose and His Orchestra. B2279.

Song—I Give My Heart.
Grace Moore (Soprano). 1614.

Xylophone Solo—On the Track.
Jack Simpson. B4351.

Songs—(a) Haul Away, Joe (b) What Shall we Do with the Drunken Sailor.
John Goss (Baritone). B2420.

Orchestra—Another Night Alone.
Ruby Newman and His Orchestra. B2427.

Orchestra—Lamento Borinqueno.
Don Asplazu and His Orchestra. B2298.

Violin Solo—Dance of the Maidens.
Fritz Kreisler. 1233.

Vocal Duet—Dainty Little Maiden.
Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. B3716.

Orchestra—Let's All Sing Like the Birds Do.
Ambrose and His Orch. B2279.

Song—The Dubarry.
Grace Moore (Soprano). 1614.
Xylophone Solo—The Clock and the Dresden China Figures.
Jack Simpson. B4351.

Songs—(a) Fire Down Below (b) Hallelujah Balay.
John Goss (Baritone). B2420.

Orchestra—My Heart's at Ease.
Ruby Newman and His Orchestra. B2427.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.3-11.30 p.m. A relay from the Ko Shing Theatre.
10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.30 p.m. Close Down.
All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

**FIELD-MARSHAL HAIG'S
STATUE****NOT READY FOR
ANOTHER YEAR**

"When do you hope to complete the work, Mr. Hardiman?"
"Perhaps in another twelve or eighteen months. That is the nearest estimate I can give."

This conversation took place at the studio of Mr. A. F. Hardiman, who during that last four years has been working on the equestrian statue which is to form the national memorial to Field-Marshal Earl Haig.

Actually, the statue on which Mr. Hardiman is now engaged is his third attempt. "It is not yet ready to be seen or photographed," probably recalling the controversy of three years ago.

No sculpture of recent years—except some of Epstein's work—has roused so much argument as the Haig Memorial.

After the Field-Marshal's death in 1928 it was decided to erect a bronze equestrian statue in the centre of Whitehall on a site opposite the Scottish Office.

Three sculptors, submitted models, and the assessors, with Lord D'Abernon as Chairman, awarded the commission to Mr. Hardiman.

Trouble began, however, as readers of the "Morning Post" will recollect so soon as the first model was made public. Both Countess Haig and many critics, lay and professional, protested against the design, especially that of the charger.

test. There would be some diffidence, and suspicion about taking the more personal recommendation of the headmaster. It was not the business of a headmaster to be a manager of a labour exchange.

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EFFECT OF THE F.A. FIASCO

ARMY'S ERROR OF TACTICS

UNFORTUNATE POSITION

MUDDLE CAUSED BY MEDDLING

The net result of the Army's benevolent desire to put the rules of the Hongkong Football Association up on a proper footing is that they are in a greater mess than ever they were.

Friday's annual meeting leaves the Association with a mixed constitution, half the old and half the new, and they do not mix very well. For instance, the provision that the secretaries are to be appointed by the Council at its first meeting after the A.G.M. would cause no complications if members of Council were nominated by Clubs, but difficulties immediately crop up under the old system of election.

It was indeed unfortunate that the more important part of the new constitution was not approved on Friday. It represents a reform which has been advocated for many years past. It would secure a fairer representation, infinitely more satisfactory to clubs in membership.

THE ARMY AT FAULT.

It was rejected—or rather, failed to secure sufficient votes—simply because the proposed changes to League rules appeared to be little less than a military attempt to dictate to civilian clubs on the question of who they could choose to represent them on the football field. The reply of the civilian clubs was to oppose any step which seemed to have the effect of strengthening the Army representation on the Council, to attempt on the other hand to tie them down to the barest minimum.

It was in this spirit that eight of the delegates refused to give approval to the proposal that every Club, including each Army Unit, in the Senior Division should have one representative.

Actually it was a very small point, too small to warrant the rejection of the Council's reform scheme as a whole.

ERROR IN TACTICS.

As it was, the subsequent election resulted in two Army representatives getting through, and they will have three in a total Council of sixteen.

Had the new constitution been approved, they would have had (when three battalions are stationed in Hongkong) five representatives out of twenty-three or twenty-four, a proportion only fractionally higher, certainly not large enough to lead to the dictatorship which seemed to be feared.

In the handling of the proposed rule changes, it will no doubt be admitted by the Army representatives, they were guilty of a bad error in tactics. If the proposed changes to the Association rules had been left as more or less approved at the extraordinary

BIG TENNIS GAME OFF

POSTPONEMENT OF C.R.C. CLASH

MIXED DOUBLES ENCOUNTER

The much anticipated clash between the two C.R.C. teams in the "A" Division of the tennis league, due to take place to-day, has been postponed.

The "B" team is unable to raise a side and has asked the "A" to postpone the fixture. This has been agreed to. At the present both combinations have 100 per cent. records in the "A" Division, and their meeting will be one of the tit-bits of the season.

By curious coincidence the two South China teams conflict this afternoon, but it will be an easy thing for the "A" six. Craigen-gower entertain the Cricket Club and the K.C.C. should garner points from the University at Pokfulam. The programme is:

C.C.C. v H.K.C.C.
—at Happy Valley

University v K.C.C.
—at Pokfulam

S.C.A.A. "A" v S.C.A.A. "B"
—at King's Park

MIXED DOUBLES.

C.R.C. v I.R.C.
—at Causeway Bay

meeting of August 17, 1932, they would have been carried unanimously. But they were altered to meet military susceptibilities and the majority of the clubs would not have them in their new form. The change to Rule 5a, as finally approved, is little short of ludicrous. The Army sponsor admitted that the situation which induced the framing of the rule was not likely to occur again, but there it was, giving the Army a privilege which the civilian clubs proceeded to demand for themselves, and secured, with the result that at any future meeting of the Association, a check upon club representation is going to be exceedingly difficult.

For instance, I turn up at the meeting and find there is only one delegate from Eastern, I can represent Eastern with the other delegate's approval. I can announce myself as the proxy for any club which forgets to send a delegate.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT NECESSARY

In Rule 5a, as revised, there is reference to nominations to the Council when no provision is made for nominations to Council elsewhere in the rules.

Nothing is more certain in fact, that yet another attempt will have to be made to provide the Association with a set of rules which do not conflict one with another at various points. And it is necessary to restore voting powers to officers and retiring members of Council, provided that the nomination system is introduced for Council appointments.

BRITAIN & AMERICA NEXT FRIDAY



J. VAN RYN.

What assuredly will provide the greatest international tennis match of the year will be staged at the Stade Roland Garros, Auteuil this coming week-end, when Great Britain and America meet in the Inter-Zone final of the Davis Cup to determine who shall challenge France for the trophy.

It is conceivable that this tie will exceed even the challenge round in thrills and excitement, and it is felt in many quarters that the winners will ultimately capture the Davis Cup.

Britain are within an ace of repeating the achievement of 1931, when Perry, Austin, Hughes and Kingsley fought their way to the challenge round only to fall against France after the greatest post-war challenge tie.

Britain defeated America in the Inter-Zone final two years ago, and there is no reason why the performance should not be repeated on Friday, Saturday and Sunday next.

The report that Fred Perry's shoulder will have recovered by then removes any uncomfortable

INTER-ZONE DAVIS CUP MATCH

A TRILLING TIE ANTICIPATED

U.S. "SPECIALITY" TEAM

LIKELY LINE-UP

The United States Davis Cup selectors have embarked on an experiment this summer. Heretofore the Davis Cup nominees have played at Wimbledon. It was the strain cast on Frank Shield, and Sydney Wood as a result of their efforts at Wimbledon, which was reported to have affected their play against Austin and Perry.

So that Wilmer Allison, George Lott and Van Ryn, who are members of the selected American team this year did not make an appearance at the Championships, and have been reserved exclusively for the Davis Cup.

Ellsworth Vines, who of course, will play No. 1 singles this week, was bound to defend his title, and Clifford Sutter, who is also named as a member of the team, was a contestant at Wimbledon.



GEORGE LOTT.

Britain's four will remain unaltered, and barring accidents, Austin, Perry and Hughes will be called on to carry the match through.

It is not without interest to note that in 1931, Lott and Van Ryn, who are this year's doubles combination, beat Perry and Hughes by three sets to one. The Americans will find the Englishmen a different proposition now.

Nevertheless Britain may have to reply on the singles to pull through, snatching one rubber from Vines and two from Allison. This is a tall order.

The teams will almost certainly be as follows:

BRITAIN.

No. 1 Singles:—H. W. Austin
No. 2 Singles:—Fred Perry
Doubles:—G. P. Hughes and F. J. Perry

AMERICA.

No. 1 Singles:—Ellsworth Vines
No. 2 Singles:—Wilmer Allison
Doubles:—G. M. Lott and J. Van Ryn

ELECTRIC SHOCKS AT MING YUEN

DEFEAT FOR CRAIGENGOWER

BOWLING GREEN ON TOP

PULL OFF SMART DOUBLE

Talk about electric shocks!

Craigengower second string had voltage given them at regular intervals on Saturday when they visited the Hongkong Electric and sustained their second defeat of the season.

Beaten on two of the three rinks, the "Craig" finally finished ten shots to the bad. W. Gill's rink had a "shocking" experience losing by 23 shots.

Once again W. V. Field and his colleagues came up smiling, but



Scene during the match between Craigengower and Talkoo at Happy Valley on Saturday, when the champions beat the Recreation Club in the Lawn Bowls League.

the defeat on their colleagues' rinks was too severe to make good. Nevertheless Field and Co. finished fourteen shots up.

THANKS A LOT.

Of course this did the Bowling Green any amount of good, particularly in face of their own success against the Recreation. Not only did it re-establish them as leaders of the second division, but put them a couple of points ahead of the Craigengower. Civil Service too had reason to say "Thanks

scraping home against the Yacht Club they stand on level pegging for second place with Craigengower.

Up in the senior division the Bowling Green maintained premier position by virtue of success over the Recreation.

This was a pleasant match with very little in it. The Austin Road bowlers clung tenaciously to their home record and at the same time did a lot to put "paid" to the championship prospects of the Portuguese. Not that the Recreation are out of the running. Far from it. But both the Bowling Green and Craigengower will have to make errors to open up the Recreation's chances.

A VITAL GAME.

Craigengower, as expected, took full toll from Talkoo. Consistency saw all three rinks win with comfortable margins. It would seem that Craigengower have only one match of which they have cause to be afraid—their visit to Civil Service.

The Bowling Green stumbled there as most of the teams do. The best will be drawn out of the champions if they win on their neighbour's green.

RESULTS.

DIVISION 1.
C.C.C. 82 Talkoo 36
K.C.C. 56 Civil Service 60

DIVISION 2.
Civil Service 52 Yacht Club 50
Police 58 Indian 53
Recreation 52 K.B.G.C. 61
Electric 64 C.C.C. 54

LEAGUE TABLES.

DIVISION 1.
Shots
K.B.G.C. 9 7 - 2 14 574 471
C.C.C. 8 6 - 2 12 477 412
Police 9 4 - 5 8 528 407
Yacht Club 8 4 - 4 8 434 448
K.C.C. 8 4 - 4 8 436 454
Police 9 4 - 5 8 470 543
Electric 9 5 - 4 10 520 524
Indian R.C. 10 1 - 9 2 490 548

PARLIAMENTARY GOLF FINAL

Prince of Wales Beaten

London, July 15.
H. R. H. the Prince of Wales met Mr. George Lambert, member of Parliament for South Devon, Devonshire, in the final of the Parliamentary Golf Handicap to-day.

Mr. Lambert won by five up and four to play.

The Prince, in the first round of the tournament, beat Sir Thomas Inskip by seven and five, in the second round he beat Mr. A. E. Winn by four and three and in the semi-final he won from Lady Astor by two and one.

Mr. Lambert beat Sir Arthur Steel Maitland in the semi-final. British Wireless.

VALLEY GOLF

Two Foursomes Ties Played Yesterday

Two matches in the Happy Valley Golf Club's summer foursomes competition were played yesterday. E. D. Matthews and J. D. Kinnaid defeated L. Goldman and A. Macfarlane on the 20th green to enter the third round, and C. Thwaites and E. M. Hanlon defeated J. A. R. Selby and J. Harrop 2 up. Both matches were second round ties.

During the week, L. Goldman defeated C. H. Bradbury in the 4th round of the Singles competition by scores of 6 up and 5; J. W. Mayhew defeated W. H. Edmonds by a similar score, and A. McKellar defeated G. W. Tate 4 up and 3.

RIFLE SHOOTING

England Recapture Elcho Shield

London, July 15.
England, with an aggregate of 1685 points, regained the Elcho Rifle Shooting Shield at Bialay yesterday. Scotland, the holders, were second with 1,687 points and Ireland third with 1,683.—*Reuter.*

Civil Service 8 4 - 4 8 462 477
K'loon Dock 9 3 - 6 6 409 510
T'koo Docks 9 3 - 6 6 497 562
K.C.C. 9 2 - 7 4 499 560

DIVISION 2.
K.B.G.C. 9 7 - 2 14 574 471
C.C.C. 8 6 - 2 12 477 412
Civil Service 8 6 - 2 12 485 425
Recreation 9 4 - 5 8 528 407
Yacht Club 8 4 - 4 8 434 448
K.C.C. 8 4 - 4 8 436 454
Police 9 4 - 5 8 470 543
Electric 9 5 - 4 10 520 524
Indian R.C. 10 1 - 9 2 490 548

H.K. VOLUNTEERS AQUATICS

SWIMMING TITLES

CONDUCTED BY V. R. S.

DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED

The Victoria Recreation Club has to hold the Annual Open Colony's Championships in all the event competed for in former years.

Though the exact dates have not been definitely settled, they will be somewhere around the end of the swimming season, in order to allow the various Aquatic Clubs to decide their own Championships and enable them to send official representatives.

As in previous years, these Championships will be open to the whole Colony and anyone may enter, whether he represents a Club or as an individual.

The various Championship events are given below, with the present title-holders and times and, as the 50 yds Freestyle is now recognised as an event for Inter-club competition, the Committee are considering the inclusion of this distance in the programme.

Secretaries of Clubs desiring further information are invited to communicate with the Hon. Secretary of the V.R.C. who will gladly supply same.

PRESENT CHAMPIONS.

100 yds Freestyle, S. V. Giffins, (V.R.C.) 50.3/5 sec, 220 yds Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira, (V.R.C.) 2m 37.3/5 sec, 440 yds Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira, (V.R.C.) 5m 59.1/5 sec, 880 yds Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira, (V.R.C.) 12m 19.3/5 sec, 1000 yds Backstroke, L. Roza Pereira, (V.R.C.) 74.1/5 sec, 100 yds Breaststroke, Kwok Chun Hang (S.C.A.A.), 77 sec; Long Plunge, S. H. Garrod (Y.M.C.A.) 61 ft. 9 ins.; Throw Polo Ball, F. Webb (Y.M.C.A.), 62 ft. 7 ins.; 100 yds Freestyle (Ladies) Miss Yeung Sau King (S.C.A.A.), 72.1/5 sec.

RECORD LOWERED

J. Ladoumague's Time Bettered

Princeton, July 15.
Twice during the running of the mile race between the combined Universities of Princeton and Cornell against Cambridge and Oxford, the mile record was lowered.

J. E. Lovelock, the Australian runner from Oxford University, and Bonthron, of Princeton, both beat J. Ladoumague's record for the distance in 1931. The Frenchman ran the mile in 4 mins. 31.5 secs but Lovelock was over a second faster. He ran the distance in 4 mins 7.5/5 secs, while Bonthron covered it in 4 mins. 8. 7/10 secs.

The combined American Universities beat the combined English Universities by eight events to four.—*Reuter.*

TO BE HELD ON AUGUST 12

AN ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME

CUSTOMARY INTER UNITS CONTEST

The Hongkong Volunteers will hold their annual swimming sports at the Victoria Recreation Club on August 12 according to a preliminary notice just issued.

Six of the twelve events arranged will be included as part of the Corps-Inter-Unit Cup competition, these being the high diving, 100 yards handicap, 100 yards championship, 60 yards handicap free style, 50 yards championship, and Inter-Company team race.

THE PROGRAMME.

The following is the complete programme:
100 yards Handicap—Free style
100 yards Championship—Heats.
50 yards Handicap—Free style
50 yards Championship—Heats.
High Diving.
Final—100 yards Handicap.
Final—100 yards Championship.
Pillow Fight.
Final—50 yards Handicap—Free style.
Final—50 yards Championship.
Inter-Company team race.
Water Polo—H. K. V. D. C. v United Services.

CONDITIONS.

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THE CORPS EVENTS.

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Anzac Company.
Small Units (Battery, Engineer Co., Corps Signals, Medical Section and Cadres).

BASEBALL "CHAMPS" SOUTH CHINA WIN LOCAL LEAGUE FOR ANOTHER YEAR

South China have won the Hongkong Baseball League as a result of the defeat of the Hongkong Club by the U.S. Navy on Sunday.

In a final league match South China overcame the U.S. Navy on Saturday by six runs to three.

Yesterday the champions indulged in an exhibition match with the Canton Military Academy and won by 14 runs to nil.

Box scores in all three games follow.

U.S. Navy v. H. K. Club.

The box score:
U.S. NAVY.
AB R H PO A E

Ross 3b 3 1 0 0 1 2 1
Donovan 2b 2 0 0 2 3 0
Hale 1b 3 2 0 7 0 0
Heald cf 4 2 2 1 0 0
Storle ss 3 1 2 3 3 0
Barnett lf 0 1 0 0 0 1
Croft lf 1 0 0 2 0 0
Taylor rf 4 0 0 1 0 0
Patterson p 3 0 1 1 0 0

20 7 5 21 11 2

HONGKONG BASEBALL CLUB.

Biggs ss 3 0 0 1 2 0
Dunham cf 2 0 1 2 0 0
McImmes 3b 3 0 1 2 3 0
Hale 1b 3 0 0 1 0 0
Shang 2b 1 0 0 1 0 0

Zafra 2b 1 0 0 1 0 2
D. Leonard 1f 3 1 0 3 0 0
Brown p ss 2 0 0 0 2 2
Rogers rf 3 0 1 0 0 0

24 1 5 18 8 5

Three Base hits—Heald. Two Base Hits—Heald.
First on Bases—Brown 3, Biggs 4.
Patterson 2.
Struck Out by Biggs 3, Patterson 3.

Left on base, U.S.N. 10; Club 5. Double plays—Donovan-Storle-Hale. Ross-Donovan-Hale.

Umpire, Nottroch, chief. Kwok base. Scorer—K. Y. Mann.

South China v. Canton M. A.

CANTON MILITARY ACADEMY.

AB R H PO A E
K. H. Leung p 2 0 0 1 1 3
K. Lee 1b 1 0 0 5 1 2
K. C. Tsan ss 3 0 0 1 3 2
K. W. Pau cf 3 0 0 1 0 0
J. Yoo 3b ss 3 0 0 1 4 2
Al Fong lf 3b 3 0 1 1 1 0
Y. K. Ng rf 2 0 0 0 0 0
W. K. Li cf 2 0 1 4 0 1
T. S. Wong 2b 2 0 0 3 0 0

21 0 2 17 10 10

SOUTH CHINA.

E. Chang 2b 5 2 1 1 2 0
K. Y. Mann 1f 3 1 0 3 0 0

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WATER POLO LEAGUE.

Young Companions Defeat
University.

A fairly large gathering watched the two water polo matches in the League on Saturday, when the Young Companions Aquatic Association defeated the Hongkong University by three goals to nil, and the Chinese Civil Servants' Swimming Club trounced the Chinese Bathing Club by five goals to nil, at the Chinese Bathing Club.

The first match between the Young Companions and the University did not attain a very high standard of polo, but brilliance on the part of a few individuals made it a very interesting game to watch.

The University had themselves to blame for not taking the lead in the first half, when they should have scored twice, but weak passing and bad marking lost them both opportunities. Their defence, however, held out, and no score was returned at the end of the first half. H. L. Ozorio played splendidly in goal in spite of a damaged hand, and several times saved what looked like certain goals.

The second period saw the Young Companions run away with three goals. They completely dominated this half, in spite of the dear defence put up by Li E. Long, netted twice, and Fung Kwok-wa got the third goal.

Civil Servants v. C. B. C. The Chinese Civil Servants' Swimming Club made no mistake when they swamped the Chinese Bathing Club by five goals to nil.

They were superior in all departments of the game, and their passing movements were a feature of the game. They combined to better effect than their opponents, especially in the second half in which they scored four of the five goals.

Their star performer was Chan Fook-sing, who netted four times, while Lal Pun-sin scored once. The losers were best served by Kai Yue-wan, the right back, who played a good spilling game, saving his side time and again with an excellent exhibition of defensive tactics. The centre-forward Teang Ho-look also played well, but lacked support.

The Civil Servants netted once in the first half through Chan Fook-sing, and four times in the second half.

Mr. Ip Kun-in refereed both matches. Y.M.C.A. Wins Again.

Playing Chung Sing Benevolent Society at the opening of their new bathing pavilion at West Point last evening, the Y.M.C.A. with a depleted side, won by four goals to two. Scorers for the "Y." were Campbell (2), Railton and Jenkins.

At the meeting of the rugby section of the Hongkong Football Club held on Friday night it was decided that the following should be recommended for election at the annual general meeting which will be held next month: Captain J. H. McElroy; Vice-Captain J. A. R. Selby; Secretary S. H. Garrod; Committee members G. C. Moutrie and M. W. Turner.

BASEBALL "CHAMPS"

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| Kim | as | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| M. Chang | c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Chan | 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Fong | cf | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| H. Jang | rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| C. K. Leung | lf | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ng | 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| | | 31 | 14 | 7 | 21 | 8 | 0 |

Three Base Hits—Ed Chang.

First on Base—OR B. Cheng 3.

Struck Out by B. Cheng 4. Leung 2.

Left on Base. Canton 4. South China 5.

Double Plays J. Yee to K. Lee to W. Li—Ng to E. Chang. M. Chang to W. Li.

Jot by Pitcher. Jang by Leung 2.

Ng by Cheng.

Scorer—K. Y. Mann.

Scores:

South China v. U.S. Navy.

U.S. Navy.

AB R H PO A E

Rons, 3b

Hale cf

Storio ss

Hend lb

Sisto c

Olenaki rf

Taylor lf

Donovan 2b

Shellenbarger, p

Crotti lf

Kronett lf

South China.

B. Cheng 2b

T. Fong lf

Kim cf

M. Chang

Young 3b

Ng 3b

Chan lb

Pau rf

C. C. Leung lf

Ed Chang p

Chung cf

25 2 4 18 11 4

Score By Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

U. S. Navy

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South China

Baschita

Three Base Hits—Donovan.

Double Play—Storio to Hend to Sisto.

First on Base—Off-Chung 3. Shellenbarger 3.

Struck out by Chang 7.

S. Navy 6. South China 7.

Notroh, chief. Kwok, base. Scorer, K. Y. Mann. Time of Game—1 hr. 40 min.

Shanghai, July 16.

Mr. Sun Fo, ex-President of the Executive Yuan, and his mother are leaving for Tsingtau shortly to spend the hot season there, returning within three weeks.

Mr. Sun Fo has issued a denial of the report that negotiations were conducted by Mr. T. V. Soong in London for a British loan.—Reuter.

SPEY ROYAL CUP

RECREIO BOWLERS
BEAT POLICESMART
RECOVERY

A wonderful recovery by the Club do Recreio bowls representatives enabled them to defeat the Police by 27 shots to 19 in the Spey Royal Cup competition yesterday afternoon on the Craigflower green.

At the halfway stage, the Police were leading by 17 shots to 4, and from the way W. E. Hollands was skipping his men it looked as if everything was over with the Recreio men. But a wonderful transformation in the game occurred after tea, and at the 17th head the peninsula men were two shots over the Police score.

Luz, who had played a somewhat indifferent game before the tea interval, played like one inspired on resumption, and he was ably supported by Noronha, Souza and Silva. They scored two fours and three threes in this period with beautiful bowling.

The Recreio team was not the strongest they could field, as Gutierrez had been taken ill at the last moment and C. E. Marques was also unable to turn out. The win was, therefore, all the more creditable.

Hollands was the outstanding man on the Police side up to the halfway stage, but thereafter he fell off, giving the Recreio a three shot by carrying the "jack." This was the turning point in the match, and after that the Recreio men never looked back, but went straight ahead for the points.

Scores:

Recreio Police

J. E. Noronha R. Oram

C. R. Souza R. Ellis

Silva E. G. Post

R. F. Luz 27 W. E. Hollands 19

K.C.C. Beat Bowling Green.

In their Spey Royal Cup game with the Bowling Green at the Club do Recreio green yesterday, the K.C.C. won by 18 to 14.

The teams were—K.C.C., E. H. Jack, A. Hyde-Lay and J. Fraser.

Bowling Green—R. Duncan, J. S. Logan, W. Macfarlane and H. Nish.

TO-DAY'S MATCH

Kowloon Docks and Civil Service

The last of the second round matches is to be played this afternoon when the Kowloon Docks and the Civil Service C.C. meet. The match has been arranged for the Police green and will commence at 4.45 p.m.

The following are the two sides: Civil Service C.C. Kowloon Dock R.C. T. Armstrong J. V. Ramsey S. E. Alderman W. Greig J. F. McGowan R. Laney J. Denkin (skip) F. Cullen (skip)

WIN FOR WALES.

London, July 15.

Wales won the International Lawn Bowls Championship at Cardiff yesterday. This is the fifth Welsh success in 27 years.

Scotland, the holders, were second, and England and Ireland third and fourth.—Reuter.

NEW CHINESE CLUB.

Fine Swimming Pool Completed.

OPENING CEREMONY.

The new bathing club of the Chung Sing Benevolent Society was formally opened in the midst of a crowd of over 1,000 persons yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Society's President, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, who briefly congratulated the organisers and swimming committee for their energy in looking after this most important branch of the Society's sports activities.

Mr. Wong said that swimming was one of the most beautiful sports for men and women. Women's interest in swimming should be further encouraged by Chinese sports clubs, he urged.

Messrs. Lo Yam-shuen, the Chairman of the Society, Lau Yuk-wen, the Hon. Treasurer, and H. Lee, the Manager of the Swimming Committee, were among the speakers. Mr. Lee reported on the work of building the bathing club, which was entirely of concrete. The building work took three months and cost \$25,000. The well-known local architects, Messrs. Denison, Ram and Gibbs, were responsible for the beautiful design and Messrs. Kin Hop were the contractors.

The Club occupies the foreshore in Kennedy Town at the site used some years ago as the Government's public bathing mounds. It has accommodation for 2,000 swimmers of both sexes. Mr. Lee also said that despite the swimming club's short existence, its woman swimmers had done fine work in the cross harbour race for women in the Colony, securing the second, fourth and seventh positions in the last race, which was a good record for so young a club.

After the ceremony the members presented an exhibition programme in which the hundred yards breast stroke event for ladies was won by Miss Lam Tao-lai and the hundred yard free style for men won by Mr. Feung Wai-lin. The programme ended up with several fancy games.

In the evening the Club celebrated the occasion with a concert members participating. Some of the Chinese songs were most excellent.

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Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$24½ n.

Mercantile Bank C. £9½ n.

East Asia, \$101 b.

Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.

Indo-China, (Pref.), Sh. \$5.40 n.

China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5.00 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$300 b.

Union Ins., \$335 b.

China Underwriters, £2.40 n.

China Fire, \$595 n.

H.K. Fire, Ins., \$202 n.

International Assoc., Sh. \$4½ n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$32.60 n.

H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.

Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.

Indo-China, (Def.), \$32½ n.

Shells (Bearer) 55/- n.

Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining.

Benguets, \$27 n.

Kallana, \$2/6 n.

Langkats (Single), Sh. \$16½ n.

S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4 n.

S'hai Loans, Sh. \$3.40 n.

Raubas, \$10½ n.

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Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$120 n.

H.K. Docks, \$16½ n.

S. China Motors A., \$10 n.

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Providents (old), \$3.80 b.

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New Engineering, Sh. \$7½ n.

Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$150 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. & S. Hotels, \$7.50 b.

H.K. Lands, \$77½ b.

S'hai Lands, Sh. \$32 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.

Humphreys, \$14 n.

H.K. Realities, \$3.10 n.

Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.

Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.

Chinese Estates \$97 n.

China Realities, Sh. \$15 n.

China Debentures Sh. \$137 n.

Cotton Mills.

Two Cottons, Sh. \$15.20 n.

S'hai Cottons, Sh. \$109½ n.

Zeong Sings, Sh. \$14½ n.

Wing On Textiles (S.) \$91 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$23 b. and sa.

Peak Trams, (old), \$15½ n.

Peak Trams, (new), \$7½ n.

Star Ferries, \$94 b.

Yaumati Ferries (old), \$27 s.

China Lights (old), \$13 n.

China Lights, (new), \$12.35 b.

H.K. Electric, \$73½ ea.

Macao Electric, \$23 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.

Telephones (old), \$31 b.

China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.

Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.

Singapore Pref., 15/- n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars, \$15 n.

Cald: Magc. (old), Sh. \$20 n.

Cald: Magc. (Pref.), Sh. \$15 n.

Canton Ice, \$5 n.

Cements (Com.), \$6.20 b.

Cements (old), \$8 n.

Cements (new), \$1 n.

H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$28½ b.

Watsons, \$9 b.

Der A Wings, \$1 n.

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Amusements, \$12½ n.

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OBITUARY

SIR H. DRAKE-BROCKMAN DIES IN INDIA

London, July 15. Announcement is made of the death of Sir Henry Vernon Drake-Brockman, the barrister-at-law, who, for more than a quarter of a century, has been actively associated with the Judiciary in India.—Our Own Correspondent.

Sir Henry was born in Madras in 1865 where his father, Mr. H. J. Brockman, was Crown Solicitor. He returned to England for his education, attending Charterhouse as scholar and exhibitioner and St. Peter's College, Cambridge. In 1886, he gained his First Class Law Tripos and went to India in the same year. From 1886 to 1890 he was Assistant Commissioner in the Indian Civil Service and during the two following years was Under-Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, C.P. In 1892 he was appointed Commissioner of Excise, a post he held for two years. In 1895 he was made Deputy Commissioner at Wardha, and from 1895 to 1901 held the office of Divisional and Sessions Judge at Nerbudda. His next appointment was that of Deputy Commissioner, Raipur, in 1901, and he officiated as Judicial Commissioner in 1903, 1905 and 1906. In 1906 he became Judicial Commissioner of the Central Provinces and Berar, India, a post he held until 1931.

He was created a Knight in 1913. He leaves two sons, his wife predeceasing him by two years.

Sir James Craig

London, July 15. The death of Sir James Craig, of 18, Merrion Square, Dublin, marks the passing of one of the foremost and most able members of the medical profession in Ireland. He was M.P. for Dublin University in the Dail Eireann. At the time of his death, Sir James held many appointments, amongst them being King's Professor of Medicine at the School of Physic, Trinity College, Dublin; Physician to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital; Consulting Physician to Dr. Steeven's Hospital, to Crookling Sanatorium for Consumption, and to the Cottage Hospital, Drogheda; ex-President of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland; and Lecturer on medicine to the post graduate classes at Trinity College, Dublin.

Sir James was born at Castleknock, Bushmills, Co. Antrim, in October 1861, and was educated at the Academical Institution, Coleraine, and Trinity College, Cambridge. In 1885 he graduated with the B.A., M.B., and B. Ch. degrees of the Dublin University.

Since that time he has held many medical appointments amongst them being the following: Assistant physician (1886-92); Visiting physician (1892-1910); Demonstrator of Anatomy at the Irish Royal College of Surgeons; Extra lecturer on medicine, Carmichael College, Dublin; Assistant Physician at the National Children's Hospital from 1886-96; Honorary Secretary of the Leinster branch of the British Medical Association from 1895-1905; President of the Central Council of the British Medical Association; Vice-president of the Medical and Neurological Sections of the B.M.A., and a member of the Irish Committee of the same Association; Registrar of the Royal College of Physicians.



MEET ME AT THE QUEEN'S.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Fugitive from a hanging squad, with a price on his head! This was the rather unenviable role which a few years ago was forced on Bela Lugosi, the famous Hungarian actor who is now appearing at the King's Theatre in the United Artists picture, "White Zombie."

In the revolution in Hungary in 1918, Lugosi was one of the principal lieutenants of Count Karolyi, who seized the reins of government.

"Soon afterward, however," says Lugosi, in recounting his adventures during those hectic days, "the royalists regained control of the government, and whenever they could find a member of the Karolyi party, they proceeded to hang him. I escaped into Austria, then went to Germany, and finally proceeded to the United States."

"Platinum Blonde"

Dowagers and debutantes are social classifications in New York, but in Hollywood they are jobs.

When a picture such as "Platinum Blonde," opening on Thursday at the Queen's is being filmed, dowagers and debutantes come into their own in the film capital. They are highly paid extras, a limited number out of the sixteen thousand odd registrants at the casting office who can successfully wear the clothes and observe the niceties of social behaviour commonly accredited to the leisured class.

"Platinum Blonde" practically exhausted Hollywood casting offices, social registers.

"Platinum Blonde" has a pretentious cast headed by Loretta Young, Robert Williams and Jean Harlow. Supporting roles are played by Louise Closser Hale, Donald Dillaway, Walter Catlett, and Halliwell Hobbs. It is a Frank Capra production.

"The King's Cup"

The Central Theatre is showing "The King's Cup," the air thriller from the British and Dominion Studios, produced by Herbert Wilcox and starring Dorothy Boucher and Harry Milton.

There are some really remarkable flying stunts to be seen in this picture, culminating in the famous King's Cup race around Britain, which was actually filmed during last year's race when Captain Hope won the cup. The result is fascinating in the extreme, giving as it does some wonderful shots of familiar stretches of country receding below the plane speeding at over one hundred miles an hour.

The story is a romantic one concerning the love affair of a pretty shop-girl for a good-looking pilot and how, when he is disqualified after a nasty crash, she gets her pilot's certificate and enters for the King's Cup. Dorothy Boucher, looking lovelier than ever, makes a charming heroine, and the handsome Harry Milton, expert pilot, is particularly well cast as the hero.

"The Silver Lining"

Motion picture producers are moving away from gangster films, red-

Ireland from 1897-1910, and Censor and Vice-president from 1914-14; a member of the Council of Trinity College, Dublin, from 1913-16; General Secretary and Editor of Transactions of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland, 1904-10; External Examiner in Medicine at Queen's University, Belfast, from 1916-20; and Examiner in Medicine for entrance to the R.A.M.C. from 1902-05.

Sir James has contributed to many periodicals including the Dublin Journal of Medical Science, and Transactions of the Royal Academy of Medicine. In the British Medical Journal he has contributed numerous papers on nervous, gastric, haemic and other diseases.

He married in 1906, and leaves a widow, three sons and one daughter.—Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Edwin Ward

London, July 15.

The death is announced of Mr. Edwin Ward, director of the Royal Scottish Museum, at the age 53.—Our Own Correspondent.

hot rhythm pictures and talkies that spout sex. They are going back to the kind of wholesome stories that made Mary Pickford, and love tales with a modern realistic background. Such a story is "The Silver Lining," made by Patrician Pictures and directed by Alan Crosland, which comes to the King's Theatre as the next attraction.

This is a story of New York—the two extreme sides of New York life—spent house luxury and tenement poverty. It records the lives led by the ultra rich while the poor starve, and in graphic detail portrays the lower East Side and upper Park Avenue.

There is a love background running through it, plenty of wholesome comedy with a thrill or two, and the whole is portrayed by a youthful cast of beauty and charm.

Maureen O'Sullivan plays the leading role, John Warburton is appearing in his first screen role, direct from the Broadway stage. Betty Compson, of beloved memory, has the second feminine role, Montagu Love, the suave and polished villain of many a screen presentation, is also in the cast.

In addition there is pretty Mary Doran, youthful stage beauty, and a boy of Hollywood beauties, and snappy boys from the cinema capital. It is a picture built for entertainment purposes only, and the scenes are laid in New York's tenement district, fashionable Park Avenue, aboard a yacht and in smart Westchester Country.

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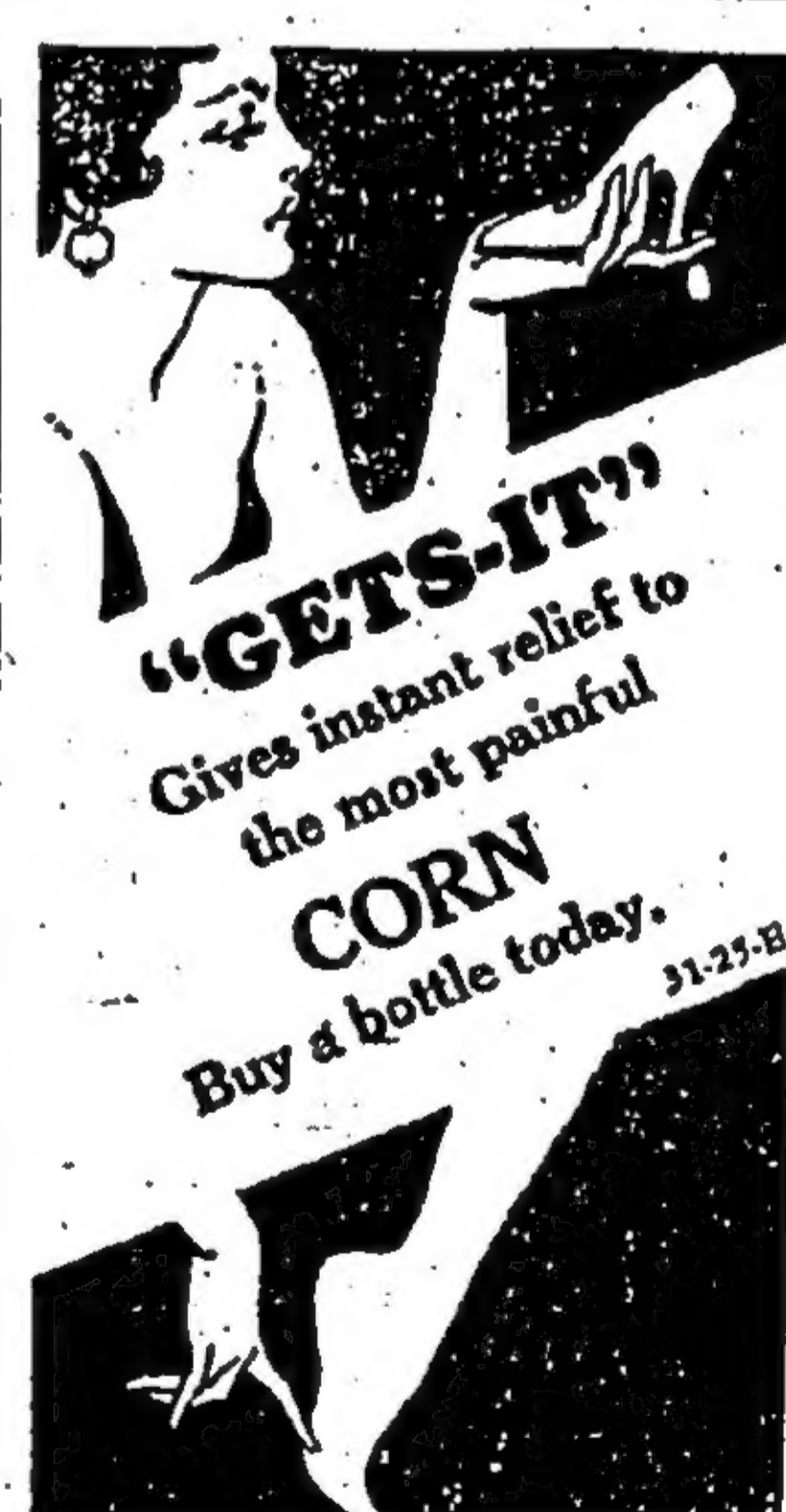
Thus "Schnozz" got his greatest thrill to date in a talking picture. It happened in "Hell Below," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's spectacular thriller of submarine warfare, now playing at the Queen's Theatre.

Jimmy braved being under water in a submarine for fifteen days—and was funny as ever. But when they put him in a comedy sequence with the boxing kangaroo in the Italian carnival sequence—it was funny to everybody but Jimmy.

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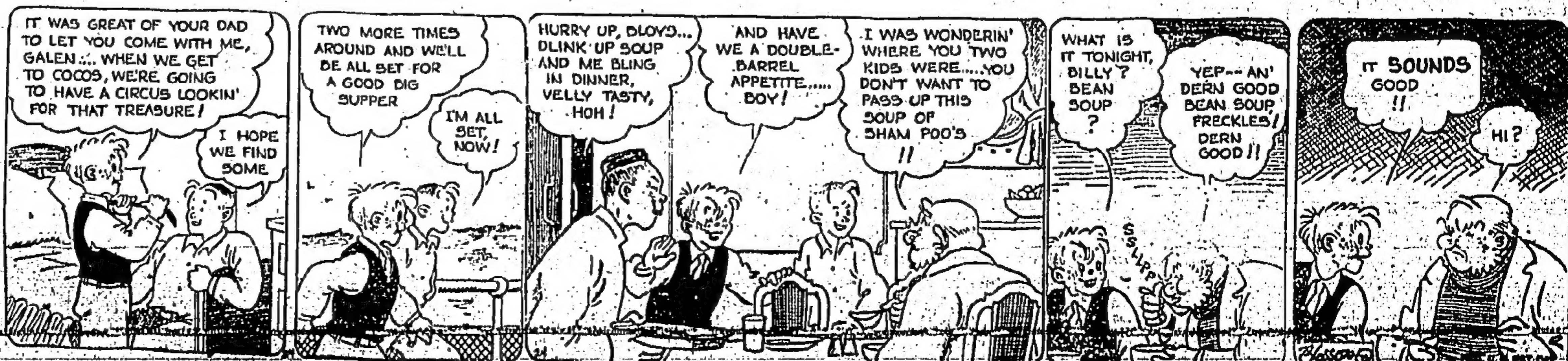
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CHARGED

Constable Tsang Shum, stationed at Aberdeen Police station, was charged before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy on Saturday with neglect for losing a .38 calibre revolver issued to him on July 11 at Aberdeen, and secondly, with conversion of a .38 revolver, holster and 6 rounds of ammunition, the property of the Government, to his own use.

The defendant pleaded guilty to both charges.

Mr. P. Grant, A.S.P., stated that the defendant, when he returned from duty at night, said he left the revolver and holster on the side of his bed. Defendant had not given assistance to recover the revolver.

A remand of one week was granted for further enquiries to be made. Bail is \$500.

U.S. FOREIGN TRADE.

NEW BOARD TO FACILITATE TARIFF DISCUSSIONS

Washington, July 15. The United States State Department is organizing a "Foreign Trade Advisory Board," headed by Mr. Charles Barnes, chief of the Treaty Division, to facilitate the forthcoming bi-lateral tariff discussions.

Mr. Phillips, acting Secretary of State, announces that the Argentine and Colombia have expressed their willingness to enter trade negotiations.—Reuter.



CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

There are times when the only way to make your contract is to depend upon perfect breaks. While it generally pays to pick up the outstanding trump, there are times when this has to be delayed.

The following hand is not difficult, but it was surprising the number of players who went down when it came up in a recent duplicate tournament.

The Bidding

South, the dealer, opened the contracting with one heart. West, who was vulnerable could not show his club suit even though it was a six-carder because, when vulnerable, you must not only have a five-card suit, but in addition should

| | | | |
|---------------|--------------|-------------|----------|
| ♠ A-K-8-7-4 | ♥ J-6-5 | ♦ 8-7 | ♣ 10-7-6 |
| ♥ 9-3-2 | ♦ 10 | ♠ A-K-8-7-4 | ♥ J-6-5 |
| ♦ A-Q-8-5-4-2 | ♠ 9-3 | ♥ 9-3-2 | ♦ 10 |
| ♠ 9-6 | ♥ A-K-Q-10-4 | ♦ A-6-4-2 | ♣ K-J |

have from two and one-half to three high card tricks.

North made a one over one force of one spade. East passed. South bid two hearts—this guaranteed partner a good five-card suit. While it is not considered an over-encouraging bid nevertheless it is constructive to the point that at least it tells your partner that you hold a five-card suit and are willing to play the hand at that contract.

With this information North, who holds three hearts to the jack, can now bid three hearts to show that his spades suit was not made on weakness. South will go to four hearts.

The Play

In most cases West opened his singleton ten of diamonds. East put on the jack and the declarer won the trick with the ace.

Declarer could see that he might lose two club tricks and two diamond tricks. His only chance to make the contract was either to find the ace of clubs in the East hand or to have the spades break three-three.

In the ace of clubs were in the West hand and he tried for the club play first, his contract would be immediately defeated. Therefore he should first try to see if the spades will split, and if this play fails, he still has the club play in reserve.

He can safely play two rounds of trump, being careful to conserve the jack of hearts in dummy for an entry. Now the spade suit should be started by cashing dummy's ace and king and then returning a small spade, which the declarer would trump with the ten of hearts.

When West's queen dropped, this made dummy's two spades good. Declarer should lead a small heart and win in dummy with the jack, picking up West's last trump. The two good spades are led, declarer discarding two of his losing diamonds.

A club should be played from dummy and the declarer should go right up with the king. Of course West will win with the ace, cash his queen, and then lead another club which the declarer will have to trump. This will leave him with a losing diamond, but he has made his contract of four hearts.

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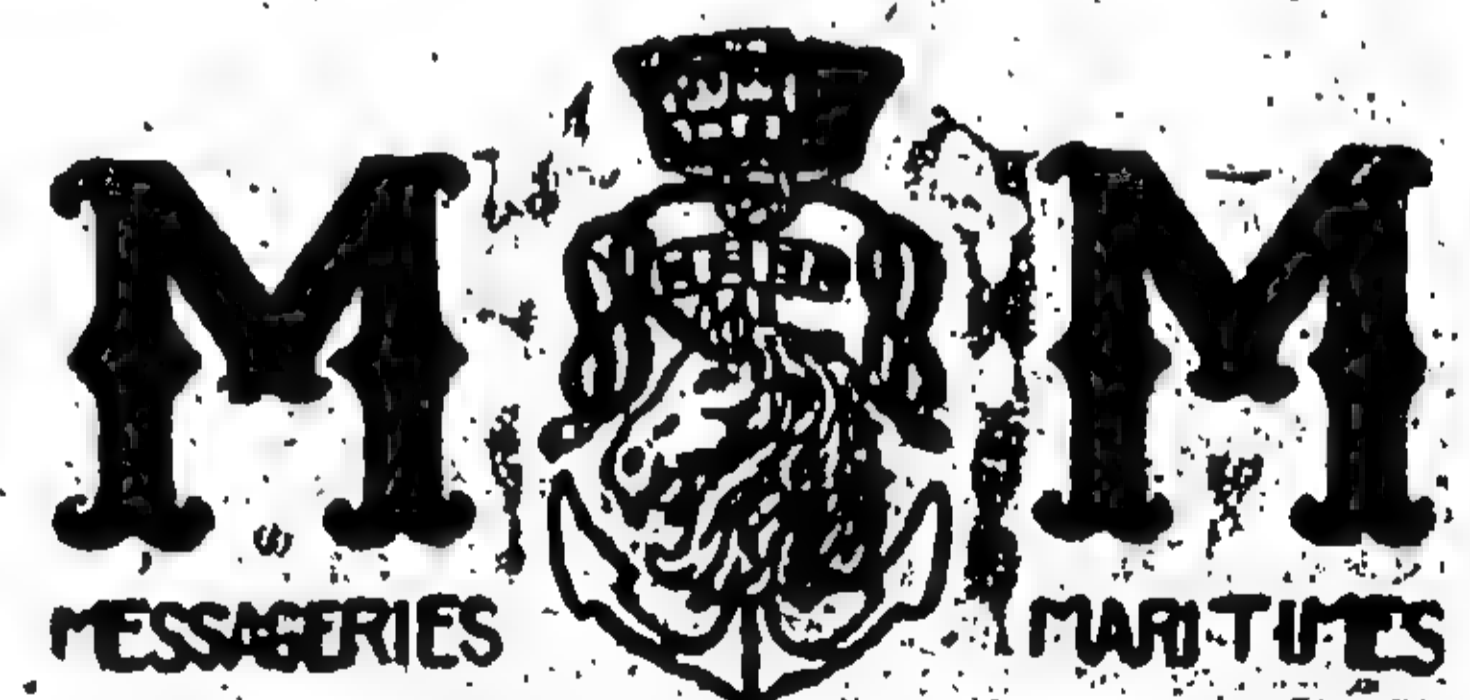
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and all manner of small craft
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A gun banged from the bridge
of the Royal Eagle, and the race
started. White sails and brown,
hugle sails and small, bobbed and
bent as the barges "crossed the
line." There were snub-nosed
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ed. The annual barge race is the
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noise made during feeding time
reminded him always of this new
music.

He did not think this modern
music was written for melody, and
he did not agree with what was
called a new art in music and
literature.

The barges rounded the point.
The Veronica came gliding up, and
passed under the stern of the
steamer. The Londoners, on the
decks cheered, but the crew hard-
ly heard the applause. They were
working like Trojans, hauling on
what a landsman would call ropes.

One after the other the barges
came round, and started back to
Tilbury. The run back was very
slow, for the wind dropped almost
entirely. But the Veronica kept
her lead, and eventually loud
banga from the steamer, and
hilarious hooting from passing
ships, told the skipper that he had
won, and summoned him to the
steamer to receive his silver cup.

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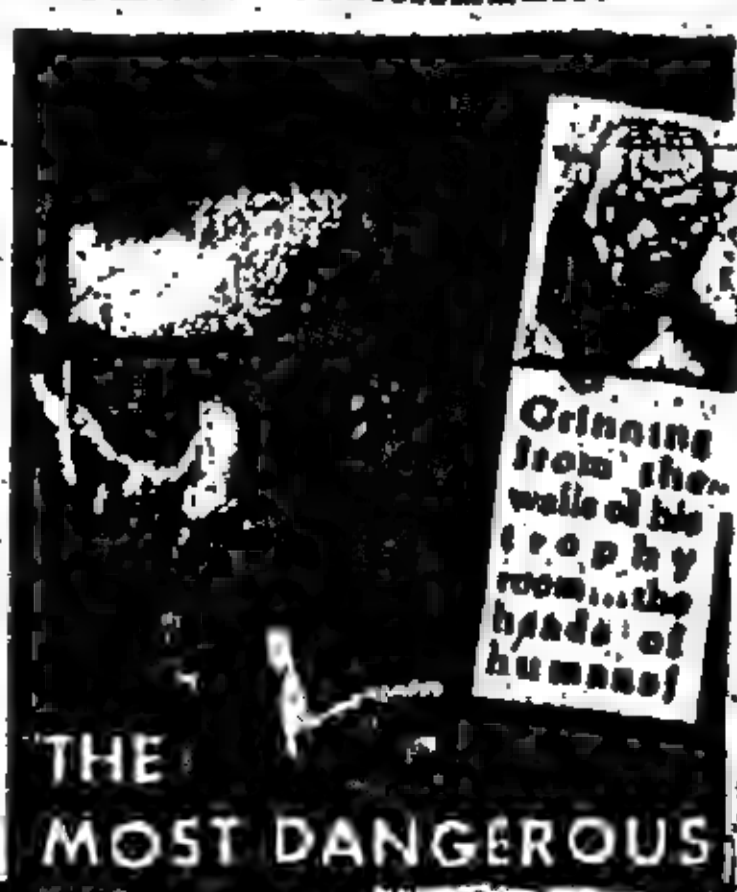
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GUNMEN'S FIENDISH THREAT IN CITY ROBBERY

Pour Kerosene Over Victims

LARGE HAUL IN WELL PLANNED COUP

Gunmen, in the course of one of the most daring raids within City limits for some considerable time past, resorted to a terrible threat when, pouring kerosene oil over their victims, they threatened to set them alight.

The affair which took place early this morning in the Chuen Hing piece-goods shop at 175, Des Voeux Road Central, situated a short distance beyond the World Theatre and the big Chinese emporiums, yielded a record haul in cash and jewellery, assessed at between \$10,000 and \$11,000.

A treacherous employee, who decamped with the gunmen, shortly after 3 o'clock opened the door and admitted six men. They brought an armory of seven guns to bear on the shopkeeper, his numerous family, and three other folks. Each man also held with his other hand a dagger.

FIENDISH THREAT.

Collecting others in the shop from a cockloft, they herded the thirteen victims into a tiny cubicle in the rear of the shop, measuring about six feet square, and after binding their hands behind their back, poured kerosene over their heads.

A significant pass was next made with a match and box, and the victims were given impressively to understand that they would be all set on fire on masse should they as much as allow a peep to escape them.

LIESURELY CRIME.

With the victims reduced to a state of mortal terror, the gunmen were able to proceed about their job in a leisurely way. For more than two hours before it was usual for the shop to open its doors for the day's business, they turned the whole place almost inside out.

The shopkeeper, it appears, suffered from an old-fashioned aversion to keeping his money in a bank and for the ten years in which he had carried on business at the address, had always kept it in the shop. Furthermore, he had not invested in a safe, and there was no other indication of a small fortune in cash being on the premises.

SHOP RANSACKED.

The secret believed to have hitherto been shared only amongst the members of the family, appears to have been also known to the treacherous foki. Unerringly he led his confederates to the different places where money and jewellery were secreted; in boxes, under a bed and other unlikely places. Furniture and piece goods were turned over indiscriminately, and the premises presented a most disordered appearance when eventually the robbers left.

The goods in the shop were left untouched, the robbers concentrating entirely on jewellery and money. Even a few copper cents left in a handbag were appropriated.

ARSON ATTEMPT AT TSITSIHAR

FIRE AT ELECTRIC STATION

Harbin, July 12.
An attempt to set fire to the electric station of the Chinese Eastern Railway, at Tsitsihar, was made yesterday by unknown persons, who subsequently escaped. The outbreak was discovered before any serious damage was done.—Reuter.



Wiley Post, the American distance flier.

WILEY POST HELD UP

BAD WEATHER IN EUROPE

FAST TIME TO KOENIGSBERG

Berlin, July 16.

After a magnificent flight across the Atlantic from New York to Berlin nonstop, Wiley Post, holder with Harold Gatty of the round-the-world flight record, took off at 2.11 p.m. for Novosibirsk.

Post is engaged on an attempt to beat the record. His flight across the Atlantic must have set up a new record.

He landed at 11.55 a.m. and was off again at 2.11 p.m.—Reuter.

Moscow, July 16.

The weather for the Post flight is reported to be very unfavourable and it is, therefore, possible that he will be compelled to land in Moscow.—Reuter.

Koenigsberg, July 16.
Wiley Post was forced to land here at 6.40 p.m. owing to bad weather. He hopes to be able to resume his flight at 3 a.m.—Reuter.

BRIDE KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

TRAGIC END TO FLIGHT

Dur-es-Salaam, July 10.
A tragic incident occurred in Kenya to-day, when a couple on a honeymoon, were killed in an aeroplane disaster.

The couple were Mr. Richard Usher, a well-known settler in Kenya, and his bride. They were both killed while flying to Durban from Nairobi for a wedding trip. The plane crashed into a mountain-side near Mbeya.

Mr. Usher was formerly in the Lifeguards and was noted as an amateur flier.—Reuter.

EUROPEANS' TRAGIC DEATHS

DOUBLE SHOCK FOR SHANGHAI POLICE FORCE

Shanghai, July 17.
A dual tragedy occurred in the Shanghai Police Force yesterday.

Inspector J. Sullivan was found ill in his room and died on route to hospital. Death was apparent due to a stroke, coming to him before any serious damage was done.—Reuter.

The second tragedy occurred

WORLD CONFERENCE.

A SINE DIE RECESS

U.S. TO OPPOSE DATE FIXING EFFORTS

NEW ROOSEVELT POLICY

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 15.
It is reliably learned that it is the intention of the American delegation to the World Economic Conference to oppose any attempt to fix a date for the resumption of the Conference.

They will oppose both the fixing of a specific date and the fixing of an approximate date for the re-assembly after the adjournment.

It is understood that the United States attitude is dictated by the belief that the fixation of any date could be interpreted as indirect pressure upon America to stabilise her currency before that time.

ROOSEVELT PLANS.

A message from Washington states that Professor Moley had a long talk with President Roosevelt, reporting on developments in London. Afterwards, he said he believed that the Conference had entirely abandoned its efforts to secure temporary stabilisation.

It is understood that President Roosevelt now plans to take steps to prevent wide fluctuations in commodity prices, rather than to curb international exchange fluctuations.

There will be no attempt to peg the dollar with any foreign currencies which is interpreted as America's answer to the London suggestions that Britain throw in her lot with America and peg the dollar-pound exchange.—United Press. Per Gold Bar Company.

FINNISH FOREST FIRES

FLAMES SPREAD WITH TERRIBLE RAPIDITY

Helsingfors, July 12.
About one hundred people have been killed in Helsingfors owing to the unprecedented drought, which is the worst of the whole century in Finland.

Forest blazes which started in many parts of the country are spreading with terrible rapidity, while a growing gale is driving the mobilised troops and other fire fighters in retreat before the flames.

The large, thickly-populated areas of the middle of the country are now in danger of being encircled by the flames which are menacing them from various directions. The number of homeless is growing, as many farms have been destroyed with the crops and cattle.

It is feared that nearly the whole of the south of the Ostro-Botnian province will be involved unless the fires are soon checked.

Many lives have been lost, it is reported, while telephone lines have been interrupted and the fires have interfered with railway communications.

NAZI ECONOMIC PROGRAMME

Powerful Council of Advisers

Berlin, July 16.

A General Economic Council, consisting of prominent economists, bankers and industrialists, such as Herr Krupp, Herr Thyssen, Professor Bosch and Dr. Otto Fischer, has been formed to advise the government on economic questions.—Reuter.

DEATH OF C.T. CRAMP

TRADE UNION LEADER

FRIEND OF THE RAILWAYMEN

(Our Own Correspondent.)

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London, July 15.

The death has occurred of Mr. Concomore Thomas Cramp, the well known Trades Union leader and former Industrial General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen.

Born at Staplehurst, Kent in 1876, Mr. Cramp started work at the age of 12 as a garden and rose to be leading light in the General Strike of 1926, when he was President of the International Transport Workers Federation.

He was educated at the Board Schools in his native town, but left his studies at the age of 12, becoming a gardener, first in Staplehurst and later in London and Hampshire.

He entered the railway service at Shipley, Yorkshire in 1896 and fifteen years later was elected to the Executive Committee of the Railwaymen's Union. In 1918 he was elected President of this body, and was in addition a member of the Consumers' Council (War Emergency), a member of the Workers' National Committee and the Reconstruction Committee (Education).

For the best part of his life an ardent member of the Labour Party, the late Mr. Cramp served on the Party's Executive Committee and was Chairman in 1925.

In the following year he held the presidential office of the International Transport Workers Federation.

He was elected to the House of Lords in 1926, and was a member of the House of Commons from 1929 to 1931.

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MONARCHIST PLOTS IN GREECE

COUP BELIEVED IMMINENT

FEVERISH ATHENS ACTIVITY

Paris, July 16.

An imminent monarchist coup d'etat in Greece is predicted in a telegram from Athens, published in the newspapers to-day, according to which feverish activity prevails in both Government and monarchist camps.

The report adds that monarchist emissaries have been instructed to sound the principal foreign Governments in regard to their attitude towards a restoration of the Monarchy.

Greece has been in political ferment for some considerable time past, largely as a result of the failure of any political party to secure a complete majority and with it widespread popular support.

Recently, an attempt was made to assassinate M. Venizelos and there was a suspicion that the instigators were Royalist supporters.—Reuter.

POTENTIAL KING.

There was previous talk of a restoration in 1926 but it soon subsided.

Presumably, if the coup d'etat is seriously planned, the aim is to restore ex-King George, who reigned for about eighteen months following the second abdication of Constantine.

Since his deposition, he has divided his time between Rumania and Britain.—Reuter.

CANCER CASES IN LONDON

TREATMENT WITH NEW ANTI-SERUM

London, July 10.

Twenty-four cancer patients whose cases are hopeless under existing methods, are being treated voluntarily by means of experiments with a new anti-serum treatment under the direction of Dr. Thomas Lumden at the London Hospital.

This was disclosed at the annual meeting of the Empire Cancer Campaign held in the House of Lords to-day.

Dr. Lumden, stated guardedly that the results of the treatment, which are a crucial test of ten years of special research, he considers justify further intensive investigation along the lines of research which have been begun.—Reuter.

TRAGIC SHOOTING AFFAIR

DEAD OFFICER DUE TO GO HOME

Kobe, July 12.

The funeral of Lieut. Albert Sople, the French officer who was shot on Monday night by his Annamese cabin boy, will be held to-morrow.

Deceased, who was to sail for home on July 13, was packing in his cabin on the despatch vessel Regulus when his boy entered, and opened fire on him with a revolver, inflicting serious wounds.

Lieut. Sople was immediately taken to the International Hospital, where he was operated on by Dr. Theodore Schmidt and Dr. Camillo Zirn, but the officer failed to rally and died soon after.

Reuter.



Ex-King George II of Greece. Paris reports suggest the probability of a Royalist coup to restore him to the throne.

NEW CHINA QUEST

CO-OPERATION OF LEAGUE

T. V. SOONG BOUND FOR PARIS

Geneva, July 16.

Mr. T. V. Soong arrived this morning from Rome and visited the new League Buildings, the International Labour Office and the Disarmament Buildings.

He is leaving Geneva for Paris to-night to attend a meeting on Tuesday of the League sub-committee which is to consider the Chinese request for the League's collaboration in the work of reorganising certain Chinese provinces.

The Japanese "menace" is alleged to have stimulated the interest of certain Powers in developing China in a very liberal manner and by this method, to establish definite machinery for maintaining the Open Door.

It is contemplated that a permanent liaison body will be set up to maintain contact between China and the League.

After the Paris meeting, Mr. T. V. Soong will go to Berlin to make his last important call before sailing for China.—Reuter.

ANOTHER BEATING FOR SENATORS

Dropping Back in the Pennant Race

New York, July 16.

Another defeat for Washington Senators pulled them down in percentage and affected their leadership chances to-day.

Scores as cable by Reuter were—

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|----|----|----|
| Chicago | 1 | 10 | 2 |
| Boston | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| (Borger homered for Boston) | | | |
| Chicago | 3 | 11 | 0 |
| Boston | 1 | 7 | 0 |
| Cincinnati | 1 | 11 | 1 |
| New York | 0 | 9 | 0 |
| (Luettich pitched and blanked out New York. There were 16 innings). | | | |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 8 | 1 |
| New York | 1 | 6 | 1 |
| (Hubbell pitched and blanked out Cincinnati). | | | |
| St. Louis | 4 | 12 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 8 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 8 | 13 | 1 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Boston | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 2 | 12 | 1 |
| (There were 14 innings). | | | |
| Washington | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 7 | 11 | 0 |
| (Hadley pitched and blanked out the Senators). | | | |

Chicago and New York were abandoned on account of rain.

SOVIET BORDER INCIDENT

WHITE RUSSIAN PETITIONS

TRADE BOYCOTT URGED

Harbin, July 17.

A committee representing all the White Russian organisations in Harbin have handed over petitions to the Manchukuo and Japanese authorities soliciting protection and efforts for the release of the ten emigres who were seized in the Tungshang incident.

The ten emigres were acting as guards aboard the vessel when it was detained by Soviet frontier guards, its cargo confiscated and the White Russians arrested.

The White organisations have lodged copies of their petition with the Japanese Consulate, the Japanese Military Mission, the Japanese Gendarmerie Office and the Manchukuo Foreign Ministry.

COUNTER-ARRESTS?

The petition suggests that the Manchukuo Government should arrest twenty Soviet citizens and declare them to be hostages for the release of the ten emigres.

The White Russian newspapers also suggest the stopping of all Soviet merchandise with Manchukuo, on lines similar to the action taken by Great Britain when the engineers of Metropolitan Vickers were arrested in Moscow.—Reuter.

FAMOUS CARTOONIST

DEATH OF MR. E. T. REED

BRILLIANT PUNCH STUDIES

(Our Own Correspondent.)

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London, July 15.

The world has lost one of its most famous cartoonists in the death of Mr. Edward Tennyson Reed, who passed away to-day at the age of 78.

Mr. Reed became a world-known figure when he joined the staff of Punch in 1890. He was appointed by Sir F. C. Burand, and three years later he began his brilliant Prehistoric Peep series. Later he took to caricature, and was Parliamentary Caricaturist to Punch from 1894 to 1912. He gave many lectures of caricature and humorous art and drew weekly for the Daily Express. He had several publications, the best known of which were Mr. Punch's Prehistoric Peeps, 1896. Unrecorded History etc. Mr. Punch's Animal Land, 1898. Mr. Punch's Book of Arms, 1899. The Tablets of Axi-Tighe-Mihpansi the Scribe, 1900.

In 1880 Mr. Reed visited Egypt, China and Japan. He was educated at Harrow and was a Justice of the Peace for Surrey.

RUBBER PRICES

IMPROVING PRICES IN SINGAPORE

Messrs. Croucher and Company inform us that the quotation on the Singapore rubber exchange at 11 a.m. to-day was, for Oct. Nov-Dec, 14 cents buyers.

The market was reported to be firm.

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest to the North-East of Hokkaido, and relatively low in a trough extending from Tongking across the Northern China Sea to the Pacific.

Local forecast—South-west to variable winds, moderate showers.

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8. Banana Souffle.
9. Fruit.
10. Tea.
11. Coffee.

MENU

DINNER \$1.50

1. Assorted Hors d'Oeuvres.
2. Tomato Soup.
3. Steamed Fish & Eggs Sauce.
4. Russian Piroshkies.
5. Haricot Ox-tongue.
6. Roast Chicken.
7. Potatoes and Vegetable.
8. Charlotte Russe.
9. Cheese.
10. Fruit.
11. Tea.
12. Coffee.

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THE WORLD
OF WOMEN

YOUR CHILDREN

Too Many Children
Must
Ride Parents' Hobbies

By Olive Roberts Barton

Once upon a time there was a lady who had a little girl with straight hair, and a boy with curls. The lady talked so much about the unfairness of nature that the boy hated his hair and so did the girl. He kept getting army hair-cuts and she insisted on one permanent after the other. As a matter of truth the boy looked fine with wavy hair and the girl was the cameo type that looks better with a close straight bob.

Once upon another time there was a lady who wanted a daughter and had a son. She did everything but dress the boy in petticoats and the result was a complete sissy. He was an eternal misfit and despised himself to the point of insanity almost.

Once upon still another time there was a lady who wanted a musical child. Instead she had a pugacious little fighter who organized gangs and broke windows. She made his life miserable with lessons on the fiddle, of the piano, and on the life. He grew up with such a loathing of music that he won't listen to a radio or anything else with sound if he can help it to-day. Music spells misery to him.

No Fairy-tale Figures

Now these "once-upon" ladies belong to no fairy-tale age. They are here with us, next door to us, in our own houses. They are ourselves. Every one of us is a "once-upon" mother.

Before our children are born we begin to extend our own personalities and our own plans into their lives. Not only do we have a decided preference frequently for a certain sex to be born to us, but we fix upon looks. Almost invariably too we carve out what dispositions we wish them to have, to say nothing of tastes and abilities.

Then from babyhood on we disregard their natural propensities but force our own hobbies upon them, making them unhappy and self-conscious.

In so doing we defeat the very thing we set ourselves to do.

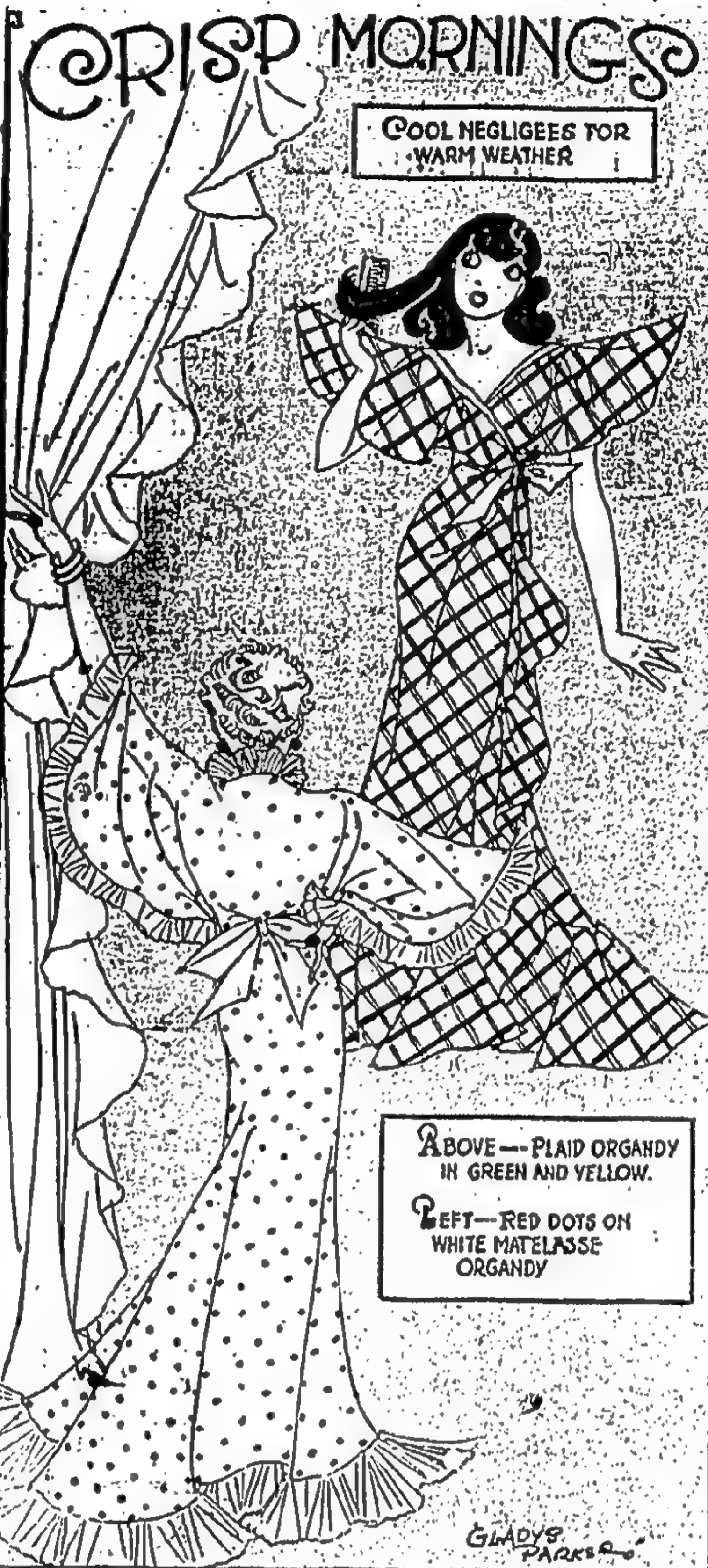
Not that we could do it anyway in many cases, but there is such a thing as "conditioning" children in a certain direction by wisdom and tact very early in the game. Of course, we cannot change sex, or curly hair, but we can, for instance, make some headway with an unmusical child by teaching him first to love music. From there on we have a real basis of self-development. Antagonize him early and make him miserable about it and he will promptly face the other way.

Too Much Moulding

There is far too much moulding of the child on the parents' plan and too little study of the child himself, his leanings and those things which can best be developed by him.

We are prone to emphasize our own disappointments. Why should children eternally ride the hobbies of their parents? And why should they be made to feel themselves failures?

As for physical tangents, no defects in a mother's or father's eyes should ever be given voice before a child. Character is undermined thereby from the beginning, a whole life's happiness ruined. We must learn to praise children and keep our disappointments to ourselves. It is hard to do but we must.

COOL NEGLIGES FOR
WARM WEATHERABOVE—PLAID ORGANDY
IN GREEN AND YELLOW.
BEY—RED DOTS ON
WHITE MATELASSE
ORGANDYGLORIFYING
YOURSELFSummer, Itself, Is A
Beauty Aid

By Alicia Hart

Take it easy on your beauty routine in summer time.

Summer beauty shouldn't be a matter of make-up and a lot of fuss. It should be beauty that comes from body health, from happy energy and from high spirits.

All of these things mean just one thing—"Get out into the open every second that you can."

If you work, that's no alibi. Too many women spend week-ends working. See if you can't wedge that into a concentrated evening of work during the week. When Saturday comes, don't your holiday spirit, even if it's only for a hike, a picnic or a row on the lake.

Hair really needs summer attention. Brush it and massage your scalp and be sure that you

apply a little oil at least once a week to counteract the ravages of hot sun, wind, dirt and salt water.

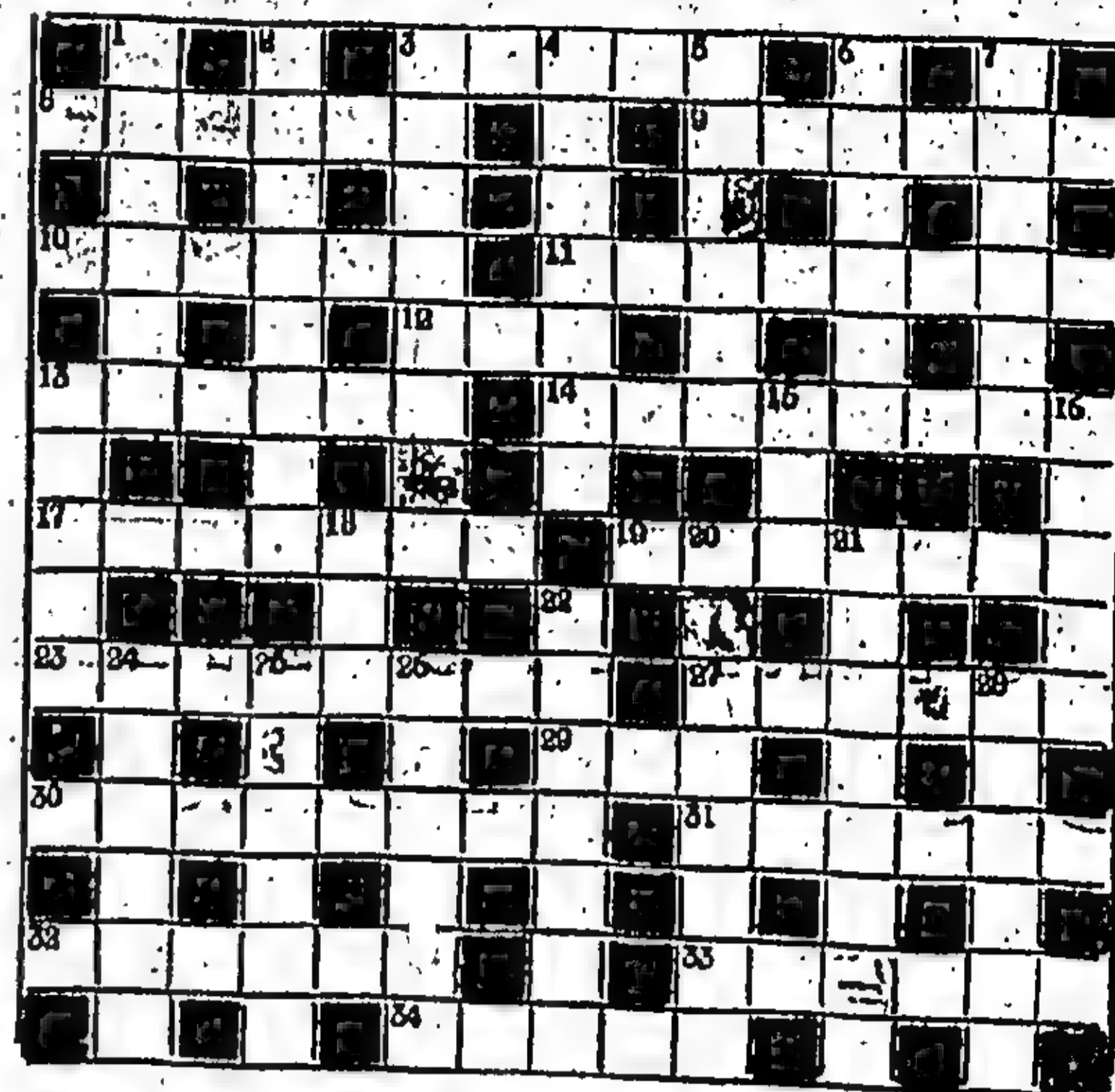
Skin needs oil, too. Use a good nourishing cream, morning and night. Rub it into your hands, too. Use some vaseline around your nails if they are brittle. And watch your elbows, for they should be kept as soft and white as possible and with short sleeves they show mightily, these hot days.

Humour your feet. Hot weather does mean things to many feet. Sports shoes are much easier than pumps. Low heels are more restful to the majority of women than high. Be sensible this summer.

DINNER GOWN.

You can make a charming dinner gown out of a white evening dress of which you have grown tired. Make a fitted jacket after the manner of sailors' coats of navy blue triple sheer or taffeta. If the evening dress has a rather high neck or a bulky front, cut off the top and wear the blue jacket with the long white skirt. Otherwise, you can leave the dress as it is and wear the jacket over it.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- 1 A product of brose, but scarcely the result of a diet of Athole.
- 2 Brose.
- 3 Shoot.
- 4 Puts up by breaking a secret.
- 5 You have ten at the piano.
- 6 We all thought—Edward, the wise men, and I.
- 7 An extreme member.
- 8 Start back.
- 9 To see little Emily in fine surroundings is very womanly.
- 10 Scottish district.
- 11 A card from the first cannot be second until it has been shir.
- 12 Putting into store—but ladders are not in request.
- 13 "Some books are to be—, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested." (Bacon).
- 14 Here, though in France.
- 15 Motion that's never put to the meeting.
- 16 To guard, and always ready to learn.
- 17 Where water cannot run.
- 18 The edge of this scoop seems out of all proportion to its size.
- 19 Leather.

DOWN

- 1 Nautical operation.
- 2 Tophole.
- 3 Frightened.
- 4 Personal predilections.
- 5 To do this to most food does not improve it.

- 6 Back this for a place.
- 7 Scattered.
- 8 Backs a horse.
- 9 A little building in a spinney.
- 10 Finished and done with.
- 11 This affords relief to the sufferer from cacochia terribendi.
- 12 Here position's everything—though height would serve.
- 13 Cast off.
- 14 Stile up.
- 15 Bodies with arms.
- 16 Jack Tupples was slow in taking this.
- 17 A slide (anag.).
- 18 Anger.

Saturday's Solution.

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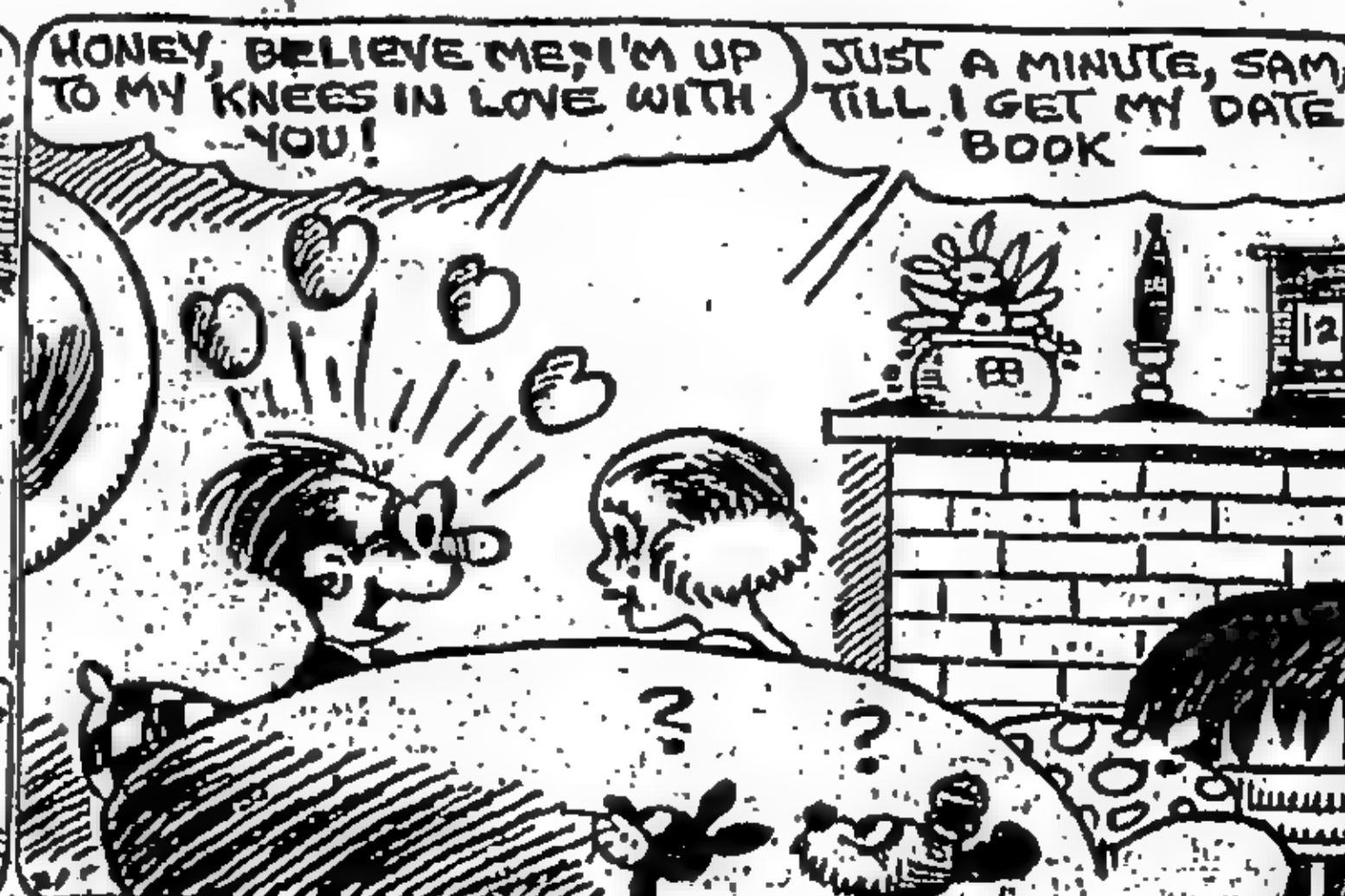
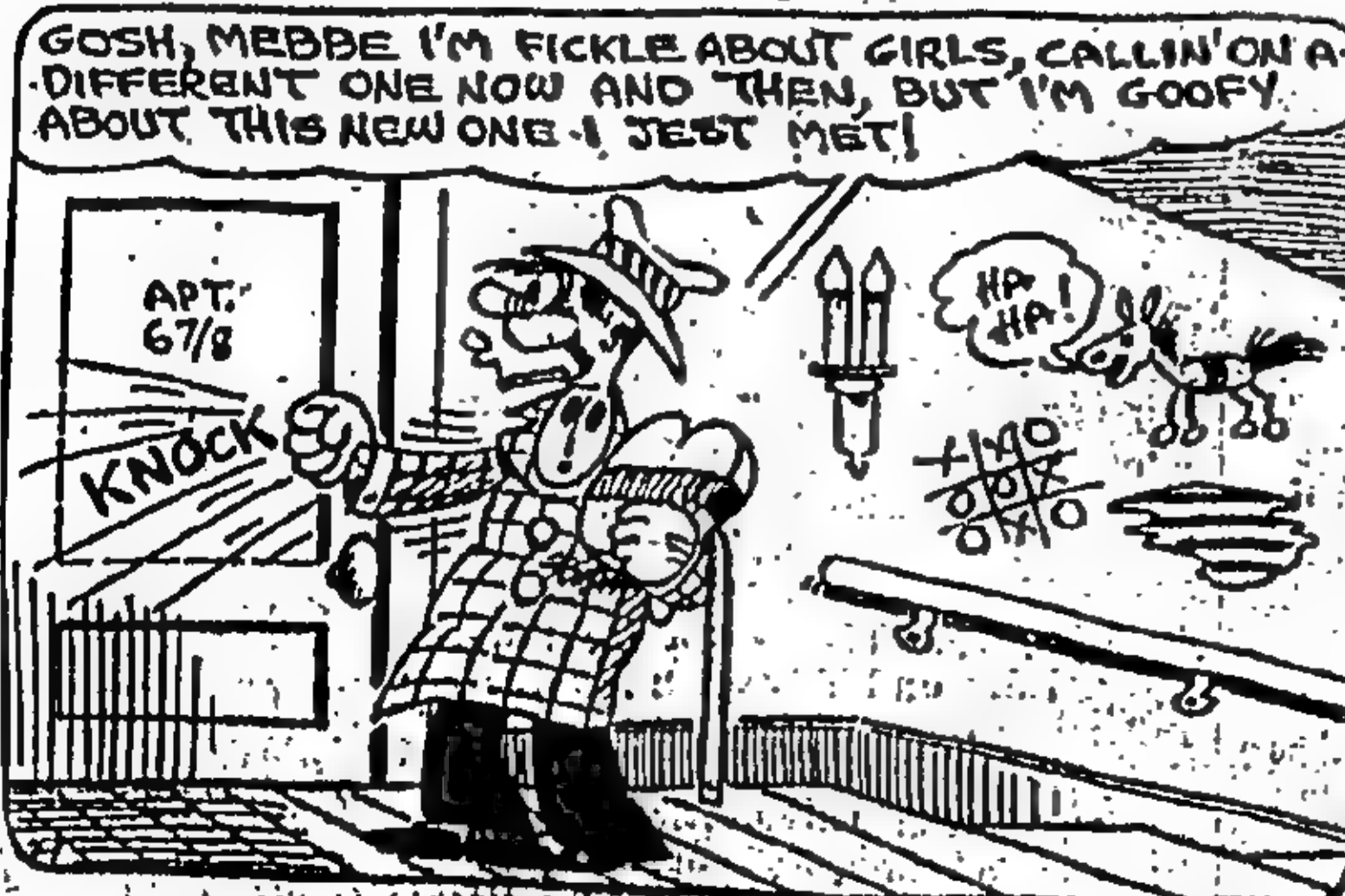


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DARLING FOOL

by MABEL McELLIOTT

CHAPTER XXXIV

The second day out Monnie, bundled in a rug, glanced up from her book to see the tall girl, Corinth Fanaway, walking with her husband. Young Mrs. Fanaway wore the most exquisite of casual costumes of pale faun-tweed. The little hat set at precisely the right angle, the big loose gloves and low-heeled shoes were exactly right. The tall girl gave Monnie a nod and then, apparently obeying a sudden impulse, stopped beside her chair.

"Do you know my husband, Miss O'Dare? Oh, I'd forgotten," Harris said. "This is Miss O'Dare—she gave Monnie a slow, dazzling smile and the younger girl felt her vagrant charm. She had a sweet, high, careless voice and the manner of one with the world at her feet. Monnie felt drawn to her and yet, curiously repelled.

"I haven't seen Arthur this morning. Have you?" The words seemed to have some significance which Monnie missed but she coloured slightly as she replied. No, she said, she hadn't seen Mr. Mackenzie. Not at luncheon.

"Probably in the bar," supplied Harris Fanaway. "Shall we have a look there?"

They drifted on, with a casual nod. Monnie tried to read again but the encounter had left her with a disturbed feeling. It was not envy she felt for Corinth Fanaway—surely not that—but this other girl was so beautiful, so sure of herself. She reminded Monnie in some subtle way of Sandra, although Sandra would have paled to insignificance beside her. Monnie did not want to think of Sandra now. She wanted to look ahead—not backward.

Presently, putting her novel aside, she went to find Miss Anstice. That lady way just walking from her nap.

"Did you have a nice time, my dear?" she asked. "Such a wonderful rest I had. I feel quite refreshed!" Miss Anstice was patting her silvery curls into place.

"Oh, I'm quite forgotten. Mr. Mackenzie sent a note by the steward—such a nice note—asking if we would dine with him to-night. Don't you think that

would be lovely?"

Monnie said faintly that she thought it would be quite delightful, but her tone lacked enthusiasm and Miss Anstice glanced at her sharply. The child must be feeling the motion of the boat, she decided. Monnie looked rather pale. Or perhaps it had been that salmon mayonnaise at luncheon. Miss Anstice never quite trusted salmon mayonnaise—

Monnie could not have explained quite why she wished to avoid the magnificent Mr. Arthur Mackenzie. Surely he was all that anyone could wish in the way of a travelling companion. He was urbane, witty, wise, a man of the world with a fund of amusing tales at his tongue's end. Perhaps it was, she thought, the way he looked at her. There was something in the glance from those dark, deep shadowed eyes which reminded her of a cat getting ready to pounce. Oh, but that was nonsense! She was letting her imagination run away with itself.

The dinner frock she selected that night was one chosen with

the greatest possible care when she had made a flying trip to the city to spend the money her mother had given her. It was of pale cream lace, demurely cut in front but sheared away at the back to show her lovely shoulders. It had been a bargain. One of those slim, cheap, effective frocks which the young wear so charmingly. She had been delighted on finding it but to-night she was dissatisfied with her reflection in the mirror. The glass gave back the portrait of girl with wide starry eyes under a gleaming cap of burnished bronze hair.

Monnie had, of course, no jewels to wear and her velvet wrap was an old one. Miss Anstice, in silver lame which marked her new prosperity, approved of her.

"You look sweet enough to eat, my dear. The young men will be overwhelmed."

Monnie smiled politely. Miss Anstice was kind, but she hated her own looks. They were so ingenuitous—so unfinished. If she had only the poise, the unmatched assurance of Corinth Fanaway she would be content.

"More lipstick, my dear," Miss Anstice urged. "You can carry it off. It doesn't look bold. Thank heaven, I'm not so old style as my sister, Lida. She thinks every woman who uses cosmetics is on the straight road to perdition." Miss Anstice laughed her tinkling laugh.

The dining-room steward who had seated them the night before conducted them now to a large round table decorated in gala fashion.

Arthur Mackenzie, seeming taller and more imposing in his dinner clothes, rose to greet them. There were half a dozen others already at table. Among them Monnie recognized only Corinth and Harris Fanaway. Corinth was dazzling in a frock of scarlet. The gray-haired man next to Miss Anstice was a railroad president from the west. The tall red-haired woman with the flashing eyes whom Monnie had observed walking the deck with her Senlyham was evidently an actress. Corinth Fanaway said to her acolyte, "I loved your play. It was marvellous."

"Did you, my dear?" The red-haired woman flashed a smile around the table. She had a deep, thrilling voice and her pearls were magnificent, Monnie thought.

She was startled, therefore, to hear Fanaway's whisper a moment later.

"Woolworth's," he murmured, jerking his handsome head in the direction of the red-haired woman.

Monnie could scarcely believe he had spoken, so impassive was his lean brown countenance. She supposed he must be right. Probably if you were born a Fanaway you knew all about such things. Monnie felt sorry for the red-haired woman. Perhaps she, too, didn't belong in this group. Mr. Fanaway at least seemed to regard her as an outsider. He was so elegant, so cynical for one so young. He seemed to have been born bored.

The dinner progressed from one course to another. Wine stewards came and went, jangling their keys, pouring pale coloured liquids into crystal stemmed glasses. The railroad president drank, untidely and talked. Monnie thought him very pleasant, although grim. Harris Fanaway drank and grew more monosyllabic. Corinth drank and laughed a great deal, her lovely mouth twisting cynically as she spoke.

Monnie left the glass at her plate untouched. She needed no such spur to make the party exciting. The scene itself was enough for her—the beautifully gowned women, the importunate men of affairs, the well-trained servants moving to and fro. Her eye flashed a message to Miss Anstice, "This is life—at last I am seeing it. The Great World!"

Miss Anstice flashed back, wordlessly, "You are right. Make the most of it."

Recklessly Monnie decided that she would take whatever came on this adventure as a gift from the gods. She would be young only once. This was her golden opportunity.

It was in this mood she rose with the others from the table.

"Some of us are playing contract in the salon," Mackenzie said to her in a low tone. "Do you care to join?"

Monnie looked up, smiling. "I'm afraid I'm not clever enough. I don't play well."

His tone was relieved rather than otherwise. "Good. I'm not playing myself. Will you take a turn on the deck with me?"

She assented and, after seeing Miss Anstice comfortably established at a table, strolled with her host on the almost deserted promenade. It was a clear, cool night of high winds and friendly stars. Belvedere and all her old problems seemed far away.

"You like—all this?" His long arm included the dancers within, the rhythmic pound of the unseen band, the slip-slip of feet.

"Oh, yes."

"Nothing to be desired, eh?" Monnie withdrew her eyes and a sigh that was like a stab escaped her. "No—I wouldn't say that."

The older man eyed her keenly. "Never the time and place and the loved one together—" he said ruminatively.

"I suppose that's it," admitted the girl ruefully. Then she turned aside in embarrassment. How easily this lynx-eyed man had guessed her secret. Did she, then, wear her heart on her sleeve for all to see?

But Arthur Mackenzie evidently dismissed the subject. "Do you know," he began in a low voice, "that you were quite the sensation in the dining room to-night?"

Monnie stared. Surely this man was making fun of her.

"But I am perfectly serious," he insisted. "Corinth was green-eyed—didn't you notice?—and everywhere people were whispering, 'Who is the golden girl?'"

(To be Continued.)



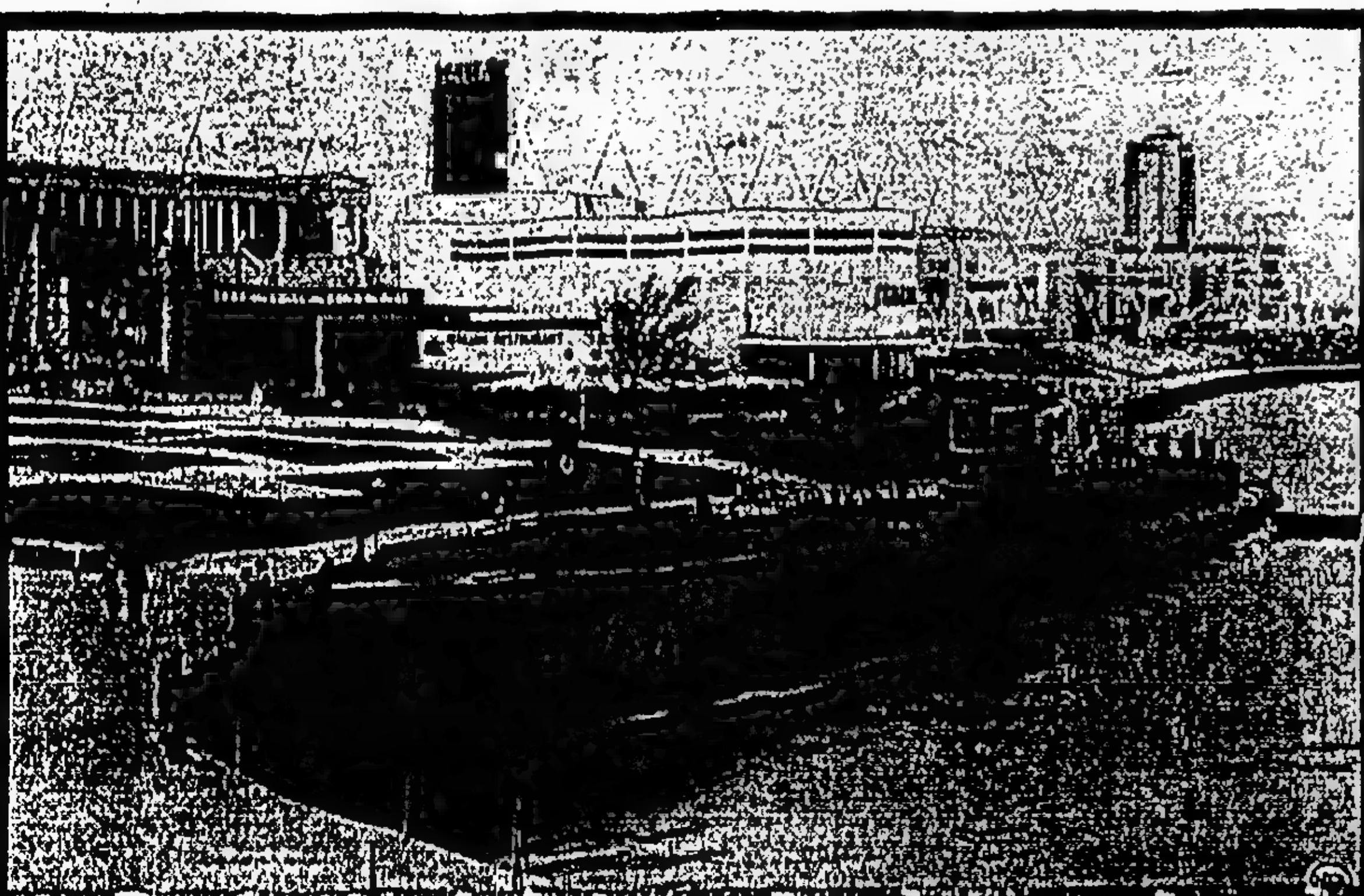
The body of Admiral Lord Wester Wemyss, the War-time naval hero, arrived at Chatham aboard H.M.S. Tempest. Picture shows the cortege leaving the ship for the dockyard church. (Planet News).



Louis McHenry Howe, President Roosevelt's first secretary, is shown here, left, as he denied to Senator Morris Sheppard any responsibility for purchase of 200,000 higher-priced toilet kits for the forest army. Howe said he had no idea of influencing the purchase through his reference to the seller in a letter to forest army officials.



O. P. Van Sweringen, Cleveland railroad magnate, is shown here as he searched his memory for answers to questions in the Morgan Inquiry. Van Sweringen drew the wrath of Ferdinand Pecora by his frequent "I can't remember" answers.



With more exhibits opening, attendance at Chicago's Century of Progress is setting marks nearly double that of the Columbian Exposition of 1893. Here is one of the late arrivals, the Japanese Marine Band. Behind the hub, spotted in the fair's lagoon, is Italy's exhibit building, the Palazzo d'Arte.



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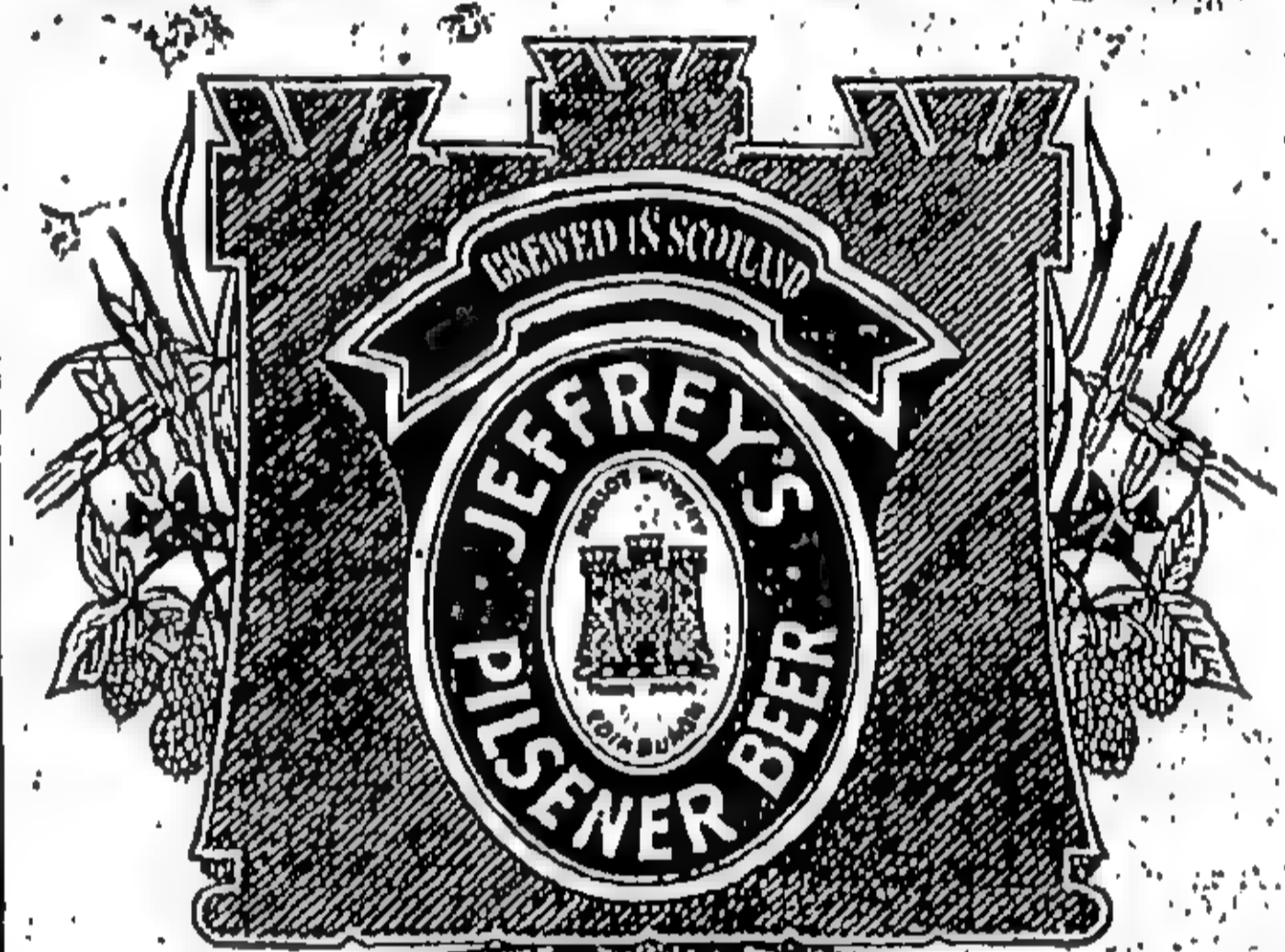
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Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
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Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$300 b.
Union Ins., \$535 b.
China Underwriters, \$2.0 n.
China Fire, \$595 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., \$262 n.
International Assoc., Sh. \$4 1/2 n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$22.60 n.
H.K. Steamboat, \$18 n.
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$32 1/2 n.
Shells (Bearer), \$5 1/2 n.
Union Waterboat, \$15 n.
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Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.
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Chinese Estates \$97 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$15 n.
China Debentures Sh. \$187 n.
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Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$16 n.
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Cements (old), \$6 n.
Cements (new), \$7 n.
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Constable R100 Ip Wing-sham, 11th July, 1933.

Constable R5 Wong Yin-shau, 11th July, 1933.

Constable R74 Lai Mee-kan, 14th July, 1933.

Constable R76 Ng Mo-wing, 14th July, 1933.

and Constable R99 Fung King-choi, 14th July, 1933.

Part II of Training Course.—All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, July 18th at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Part I of Training Course.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend Central Police Station for Squad Drill on Thursday, July 20th at 5.30 p.m. Dress—White Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, July 20th under Sub Inspector R. J. Hunt for a general inspection of equipment etc. by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp.

Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, Belt with Brace, Truncheon, Whistle, Armband with Badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. No members may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present.

Indian Company.

Part II of Training Course.—All recruits of the Indian Company residing in Kowloon will attend 3, Chi Woo Street, Kowloon on Wednesday, July 19th at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

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Emergency Unit Reserve.

Strength.—Constable R426 A. W. T. White has been taken on the strength of the Emergency Unit Reserve as from 6th May, 1933.

Promotion.—Constables R423 J. A. Bendall and R449 B. J. Murray have been promoted to the rank of Lance Sergeant as from 14th July, 1933.

Revolver Practice.—A revolver practice will take place on Friday, July 21st by Nos. 1 and 2 Sections at the Bowen Road Revolver Range under Sub Inspector Hopkins at 5.30 p.m. The Emergency Unit Van will leave Queen's Pier at 5.20 p.m. sharp. Dress—optional.

Emergency Unit Reserve.

Annual Dinner.—An Annual Dinner will take place on Wednesday, August 2nd, 1933. Details later. Dress—Muff. Members will be charged \$5.00 and for each Guest \$3.00.

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| Shanghai | Aramis | July 20. |
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| Manila | Fres. Jefferson | July 21. |
| Japan | Kamo Maru | July 21. |
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| Shanghai | Somali | July 21. |
| Straits | Aeneas | July 24. |
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| Monday. | | |
| Samshui and Wuchow | Kong Ning | Mon., July 17, 4 p.m. |
| Amoy | Kumsang | Mon., July 17, 5 p.m. |
| Tuesday. | | |
| Batavia | Tjileboet | Tues., July 18, 10.30 a.m. |
| Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhol and Tonkin | | Tues., July 18, 1 p.m. |
| Haiphong | Athos II | Tues., July 18, 2 p.m. |
| Shanghai | Haiching | Tues., July 18, 3 p.m. |
| Swatow, Amoy and Foochow | President Hoover | Tues., July 18. |
| Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada, and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco 7th Aug.) | Parcels, | July 18, 3 p.m. |
| | Reg., | July 18, 4.15 p.m. |
| | Letters, | July 18, 5 p.m. |
| Wednesday. | | |
| Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service" | Santos Maru | Wed., July 19. |
| | K. P. O. | G. P. O. |
| Reg., | July 19, 4.30 p.m. | Reg., |
| Letters, | July 19, 5 p.m. | Letters, |
| | July 19, 9 a.m. | Letters, |
| Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and South American Ports | Santos Maru Wed., July 19, 10.30 a.m. | |
| Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | Ajax | Wed., July 19. |
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| | G. P. O. | G. P. O. |
| Reg., | July 19, 1 p.m. | Reg., |
| Letters, | July 19, 1 p.m. | Letters, |
| Amoy | Tainan | Wed., July 19, 3.30 p.m. |
| Manila | Emp. of Russia | Wed., July 19, 4.30 p.m. |
| Thursday. | | |
| Saigon *Ceylon, *India, *Mauritius, *East and *South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | | Thurs., July 20. |
| | (Due Marseilles, 21st August.) | |
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| Reg., | July 20, 1 p.m. | Reg., |
| Letters, | July 20, 1 p.m. | Letters, |
| | July 20, 2.30 p.m. | Letters, |
| Friday. | | |
| Japan | Kitano Maru | Fri., July 21, 9.30 a.m. |
| Holhow, and Pakhol | Yingchow | Fri., July 21, 10 a.m. |
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AMBULANCE THAT TURNED BACK

Dying Man 70 Yards Away

OVER THE BOUNDARY

The "very definite instructions" which were responsible for an ambulance driver going to within 70 yards of a dying man and then turning back were strongly criticised at an inquest at Kingston.

The inquest was on William Edgar Wright, aged 29, a commercial traveller, of Worthington-road, Tolworth, who was fatally injured on the Kingston-by-pass road when his car somersaulted twice after a collision. His passenger was injured.

Police Constable Blatch said that the Surbiton ambulance arrived, and turned back because the accident was 70 yards over the boundary.

The Foreman—Had not the police authority to command the Surbiton ambulance to take that poor fellow to hospital?

Police Constable Blatch—The local council has authority over the ambulance service.

The Foreman—I think it is a great shame on the part of the ambulance man, even if he had to go out of his district. It does not show much sympathy. It is nonsense that he should not move over the boundary mark.

Police Constable Bricks said that he told the driver of the Surbiton ambulance to call the Malden ambulance, but he reversed and went away. The Malden ambulance was called by a motor-coach driver.

Mr. R. H. Wright, clerk to Surbiton Urban Council, said that the driver of the Surbiton ambulance had very definite instructions which were framed in conjunction with neighbouring authorities a few years ago that he was not on any account to cross the boundary into adjoining districts.

QUESTION OF CHARGES.

Mr. H. Tonbridge, Sanitary Inspector of the Malden Urban Council, said that cooperation between the Malden and Surbiton Councils was suggested some years ago, but it was chiefly a question of signing an agreement on the payment of charges.

Malden Council were willing to co-operate in accident cases so that nothing of this kind should happen. During the last twelve months the Malden ambulance had gone into the Surbiton area on at least six occasions.

Mr. Wright said that on one occasion a Surbiton ambulance driver went into an adjoining district, and later received a message from the authority concerned not to go there in future. It was not Malden.

Mr. Farley (a motor-coach driver)—Is there anything in the regulations of Surbiton Council which would prevent a driver leaving his ambulance and going over the boundary to render aid?

Mr. Wright—I am not here to answer questions.

Mr. Farley—I think it is an absolute scandal.

The Coroner (Dr. W. J. Lord) said that human life was the first consideration in every case. He did not think anyone would have

OXFORD BUILT ALL WRONG

VERTICAL PLANNING CRITICISED

£20,000 ADDED TO COLLEGE BILLS

Are Oxford colleges, and even their modern extensions, built on an uneconomic plan?

The success of an experiment which has been tried in Queen's College for several years now without a flaw suggests that this is the case. It substitutes the typical Oxford and Cambridge habit of building "vertically" by an attempt at building "horizontally."

At present every staircase in an Oxford or Cambridge college is a little kingdom to itself, with two or three rooms on each floor, and no connection at all with the other rooms on the same floor, which can only be reached by way of the ground floor and the quadrangle.

Each of these staircases is ruled by a scout, who tolls scores of times a day up and down the two or three flights of stairs attending to the needs of his charges. This daily knee-drill, though it may have much to do with the prowess of college servants on the playing field, is not economic.

SCOUTS' GREATER WORK.

Accordingly, all the rooms on the top floor of one side of a quadrangle at Queen's were connected by a corridor, and two of the three staircases that had served them in their days of separation were sealed up. Then a scout was given charge of the floor.

It was soon found that, with all his rooms and work on one floor, instead of four, he could comfortably serve twice as many rooms as he could on the old system. In other words, undergraduates who had had to support two scouts before, now only needed to support one.

The consequent saving in expense may amount to as much as £10 per undergraduate per year, or well over 5 per cent. of the average Oxford total for college bills.

By a simple calculation, if 2,000 undergraduates are resident in college in Oxford (allowing for rather more in "digs"), £20,000 a year is being spent in the University for the medieval oddity of living in "vertical" lodgings.

blamed the driver of the Surbiton ambulance for taking the matter into his own hands and going over the boundary.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death and the foreman said that they regretted that the councils did not seem to agree regarding the saving of life. They hoped that "this boundary business" would be dispensed with and they considered that the Surbiton ambulance driver might have acted independently of whatever instructions were given to him.

EASIER TO DIE IN THE NORTH

WINTER POLLUTION OF THE AIR

BLAMING THE HOME FIRES

Lord Cozens-Hardy, in his inaugural address as President of the Royal Sanitary Institute Congress at Blackpool suggested that special attention should be directed to those nonpulmonary respiratory diseases, pneumonia and bronchitis, which were responsible for the excessive mortality so noticeable in later life among the industrial population.

He pointed out that Professor Greenwood, in dealing with this subject, had suggested that it was just as difficult to earn a living in a town in the South as in the North, but it was much easier to die in the North, particularly in the case of a man aged between 45 and 65 years.

"Modern hygiene," he continued, "has shown us that a polluted air supply is no more desirable than a polluted water supply, and it is possible that a partial solution of this problem will depend on the purifying of the air of our industrial towns of the north-west. This is by no means as simple a problem as the purification of our water supplies."

THE DOMESTIC GRATE.

"I think you will agree that in the average industrial town during the winter months the bulk of the air-pollution comes from the domestic fire-place. Until a smokeless fuel for domestic use is universally adopted it is practically useless to rely on regulations that affect only factory chimneys."

Referring to the nation's health services generally, Lord Cozens-Hardy said: "A panel practitioner service, probably much more efficient than he did in pre-National Health Insurance days, but unless he happens to subscribe to a voluntary hospital, his resources in a severe illness stop at that."

"It is preached high and low that the remedy for industrial depression is rationalisation, and I suggest that a good dose of the same medicine would improve the health services of the community."

In the middle of last century, he added, the crude death-rate per thousand was about 30; to-day it was less than half that figure. In infant mortality in those "good old days," one out of every two children born died in the first four years, compared with one out of every seven nowadays.

Major-General P. H. Henderson, Director of Hygiene, War Office, said, "In the past we have rather been in the habit of neglecting diseases which are common, and concentrating on others which appeal more to the scientific mind. There are signs that in recent years we are paying more attention to common diseases."

THE "FIGHTING SQUIRE"

A REMARKABLE CHARACTER

CELEBRATES HIS 86TH BIRTHDAY

London.

Sir Claude Champion de Crespigny, the famous "Fighting Squire," felt only one regret on his 86th birthday a week or so ago—he was not able to take his usual bout with a punching ball and his rowing exercise before breakfast.

Up to two months ago, Sir Claude never missed a morning, except on those days at Coves when often with Lady de Crespigny he would stroll down to the sea and take a dip when the temperature would have made many youngsters turn back.

But two months ago, Sir Claude caught a chill and he has only just come downstairs. He hopes, however, to resume his daily boxing and rowing soon.

"All round sportsman" hardly describes Sir Claude fully. He is that, and more, for he has been soldier and sailor, war correspondent and balloonist, big game hunter and something of an explorer, and has packed so many adventures into his life that to read only a part of them would make one think it almost incredible that a man could go through them without being killed.

SOME ACCIDENTS.

And nearly killed he has been many times. A few of his accidents are:

Both legs broken in a balloon accident;

Three broken arms (at sundry times) while hunting;

Three broken ribs while steep-chasing;

Rib broken in a cab mishap;

Fingers broken a number of times while boxing;

Repeated concussion—none of which has affected his general health; and

Nearly scalped by a favourite monkey.

Sir Claude now lives quietly at Malden, Essex, and his house, Champion Lodge, is full of trophies he has won in different parts of the world. At Nairobi when in his 59th year, for instance, he did the "hat trick" by winning, at the East Africa Turf Club races, the three events which are equivalent to the English Derby, Ascot Gold Cup and Grand National, and was beaten by only a head in the next race. He never realised, however, his ambition to win the Grand National at Aintree, for his mount Corrieze broke down. One of the things of which he is most proud is that in forty years in the saddle no objection has been made to his riding.

FEW ADVENTURES.

Some of his adventures have been:

Escaped from the coils of a python;

Flung the North Sea in a balloon (believed to be the first time this feat was accomplished);

Jumped into a shark-infested river to rescue a man;

Fought a wounded tiger;

Climbed church steeples;

Jumped into a flooded river after a fox which had sought refuge on a hillock of grass in the water and dived after it when it was killed and sank;

Swam the narrow gut of the first Cataract of the Nile;

Fought a waterman for an hour and a half with his bare fists, although two fingers were broken, and did not stop until the police arrived;

Killed a charging rhinoceros at two paces by breaking its neck with a soft nosed bullet.

A PINT OF PORT.

As one of the old school Sir Claude deprecates the cocktail habit. "Give me a pint of port a night," he said once, "and I am content." He thinks modern people are apt to look after themselves too much and, as his life shows, believes in fresh air and athletic exercise—and plenty of it.

The "Fighting Squire" is the fourth baronet, and head of a famous old Norman family which fought in the first Crusade and were champions of the Dukes of Normandy and Brittany. He and Lady de Crespigny celebrated their diamond wedding last September.

—Reuter.

DISTRESSED AREAS RELIEF SCHEME

DEADLOCK CAUSED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Negotiations Break Down

Negotiations between the Government and local authorities with a view to implementing the Government's scheme for bringing temporary relief to the distressed industrial areas of the North have broken down.

The cause of the breakdown is the refusal of the local authorities in the more prosperous areas to make the financial sacrifice required of them on behalf of the distressed areas.

The Government is thus confronted with the alternative of facing a new revolt of members of Parliament representing the distressed areas, or imposing their

scheme against the wishes of a large section of the remainder of the House of Commons.

The revolt of the members representing the distressed areas assumed formidable proportions some months ago before the Government granted their demand. The Minister of Health, Sir Edward Hilton Young, then proposed a permanent scheme for the relief of the promised comprehensive Unemployment Bill, and a temporary scheme to operate by consent until the passage of the Bill.

DE-RATING ACT GRANT.

The temporary scheme was set before representatives of the local authorities of the country at a conference held at the Ministry of Health some weeks ago. It was that the more prosperous areas should forgo £500,000 of their share of the block grant under the De-rating Act, and that this sum, together with an additional £250,000 to be contributed by the Exchequer, should be distributed among the distressed areas.

The Conference was adjourned in order that the local authorities should have time to examine the proposal. It has since emerged that, owing to the refusal of the more prosperous areas to forgo any

part of their block grants, no useful purpose would be served by a resumption of the Conference.

The demand for relief for the distressed areas came from members of Parliament of all parties. Their view of the present situation is expressed by the following resolution, passed at a meeting at the House of Commons over which Sir Nicholas Grattan-Doyle, Conservative member for North Newcastle, presided:

"That this committee of Members of Parliament, representing distressed areas, views with great anxiety the delay which has taken place in implementing the promise of the Minister of Health in the provision of monies to be found by the more fortunately placed local authorities for the relief of the able-bodied unemployed in the distressed areas, and, in view of the reported breakdown of the negotiations with the authorities concerned and the very pressing needs of the distressed areas, calls upon the Minister of Health to act upon his own initiative without delay." Copies of the resolution will be sent to Sir Edward Hilton Young and to the Prime Minister, Mr. MacDonald, who will be requested to receive a deputation.

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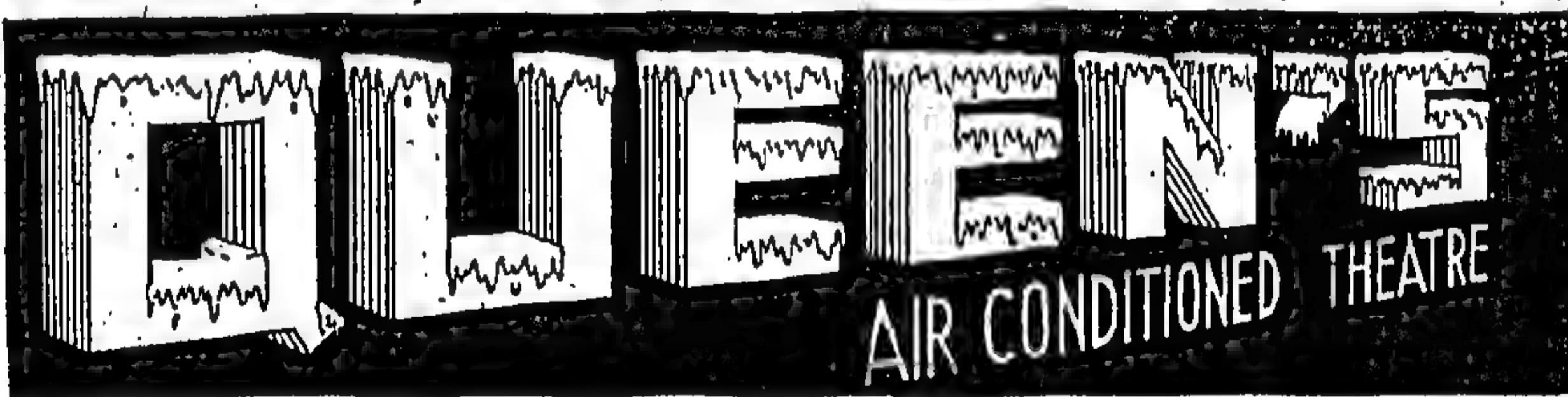
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The
Hongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, JULY 17, 1933.

C. E. R. CRISIS

The clumsiness of the attempts to persuade the Soviet to capitulate in the negotiations for the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway does not render the situation any the less dangerous. At the Conference itself, the Manchukuo delegates, gently prodded by their Japanese protectors, are finding it appropriate to pretend that the basic question at issue is not the sale of the railway, but the sale of such partial interests in the railway as she admits the Soviet owns. At Harbin, Mr. Li Shao-keng, Manchukuo chairman of the administrative board, threatens to oust all Soviet officials on the pretext that they are engaging in sabotage. In plain English, the Manchukuo authorities are informing the Soviet that unless they are prepared to dispose of their interests at a ridiculous figure, they may be faced with a new situation, the seizure of the railway out of hand. Russia has been moderate in her price requirements. She computes the cost of the railway at a figure in excess of 400,000,000 roubles. She is prepared to hand over entire control at a price of 250,000,000 roubles, composed of one-eighth in cash, three-eighths in bonds and one-half in goods. It seems a reasonable offer and Russia's good intentions can scarcely be called into question. But she is not allowing Tokyo to pull wool over her eyes. While desiring a peaceful settlement of all causes of dispute in the Far East, Moscow takes advantage of the presence in London of M. Litvinoff to remove all danger of a war threat upon her western frontiers. She establishes definitely friendly relations with her neighbours in the west through a series of clearly worded non-aggression pacts. This step is hailed as a diplomatic triumph for M. Litvinoff. It is also a political triumph. Few there are who can doubt that Russia's hurry was dictated by her concern over developments in the Far East. M. Litvinoff's activities in London were little less than subtle warnings to Japan and the fact that they have made no impression must appear as a danger signal rather than as a sign that Japan will eventually get her way, according to her own propaganda.

before in the past few weeks the situation will be carefully watched.

NOTES OF THE DAY

We did an injustice to Mr. G. C. Pelham in crediting him with only two years' service in China. Before taking up his appointment at the Legation in Peking, Mr. Pelham spent some time in England, in the Department of Overseas Trade, with the result that his name did not appear in the China Consular list for 1930-31. Prior to that, however, he was, we understand, attached to the British Consulate-General in Tientsin, first as clerical officer and later as Vice-Consul. Latterly he has been attached to the office of H. M. Commercial Counsellor in Shanghai. It was very far from our intention to discount Mr. Pelham's services, although the new facts disclosed do not change our view that unless Mr. Pelham has some surprises in store for the Colony, the appointment of a consular official as the British trade representative in Hongkong provides no cause for enthusiasm.

THE FLYING ARMADA

General Balbo and his flying armada have completed their flight from Rome to Chicago. A cynic may point out that it has taken the Italians fourteen days to complete the journey taking longer than the sea trip. But the flying armada was not out to break speed records. The flight was naturally one of propaganda, but it also had behind it the spirit of international goodwill. It was spectacular because it was ambitious, but it was carried out with little fuss and with so much efficiency that the whole world stands by and applauds. The arrival of the armada in Chicago has set the seal of success upon the World Fair. In this mission alone the flyers have every reason to be satisfied with themselves.

THE DAVIS CUP

Britain has advanced another stage in the Davis Cup. Through Austin, Perry and Hughes, she has qualified to meet America in the Inter-Zone final. Although Englishmen have cause for pride and satisfaction in the achievement, one cannot help but feel that Australia made it easier for Britain than was expected. With the result obviously depending on the doubles match, Mr. Youdale, the Australian team manager, would have been justified in some courageous experimenting. Crawford was as necessary to form part of the doubles combination as gasoline is to keep a car running. McGrath, Quist or Turnbull could have played with him and any of the combinations would have given Hughes and Perry something to worry about. As it was they had a gift match. The most surprising feature of the series was the generally low standard of play. Even the victorious Englishmen cannot regard their work with complete satisfaction, and improvement is essential. If the next hurdle is to be negotiated.

DAWN OF A NEW WORLD

Recurrent prophecies of the "end of the world" are apt to leave the majority of mankind cold. There have been so many of them, and all, according to the popular interpretation of this event, have been disproved. But it is at least a matter of more than passing interest that one of these prophecies should have coincided with the meeting of the World Economic Conference in London, which set out in the belief that it was the most comprehensive, far-reaching and authoritative conference the world has ever known. The advanced thinker of to-day is very generally coming to realise that the world we behold and experience is "primarily one of thought, that matter is merely hypothetical substance. This being so, the "end of the world" must be primarily mental, also. We were therefore reasonably hoping that there was some truth in current prophecy, and that we were about to see a great change of thought, the end of an old world and the dawning of a new, the end of an old world in which war and fierce economic competition seemed natural and inevitable, and the dawn of a new world based on a growing understanding of the brotherhood of men and nations. At the moment, it would seem nearer the truth to suggest that the world may come to an end through the inability to meet the problems squarely in the interest of all humanity.

HOW THE WAR DEBTS HAVE GROWN

By HAROLD G. CARDOZO

The debts which are hampering world trade, and creating an artificial flow of money which has nearly ruined world credit, and have been mainly responsible for the present world economic depression, may be classified as follows:

1. Reparations payments due by Germany to Great Britain and the other Allies which amounted at the outset to £6,600,000,000.
2. Inter-Allied debts and debts owed by the Allies to the United States and amounting to a grand total of £3,062,600,000.
3. Debts owed by the old Imperial Russian Government, but repudiated by the Soviet Government, amounting to £685,000,000, of which two-thirds at least were advanced by Great Britain.

The reparation payments were imposed on Germany to make good the actual loss and damage caused by war. The inter-governmental loans were means of carrying on the war, and their product was mainly spent in buying shells, guns and food. The story of the Russian debts needs no explanation.

AMERICA'S HARVEST.

In this connexion it is interesting to note that while the total Allied debt to the United States, including post-armistice loans, amounted to \$1,949,600,000, Allied purchases and payments in the United States between April 1917 and November 1920 were as large as \$2,878,400,000.

In other words the Allies actually paid into the United States \$423,800,000 more than they borrowed.

The following table shows clearly how much the debtor Allied States owed Great Britain and the terms the British Government granted them for the repayment of debts by annuities:—

| Debt. | Amount |
|------------|--------------|
| France | £800,000,000 |
| Italy | £500,000,000 |
| Jugoslavia | £25,000,000 |
| Greece | £21,000,000 |
| Rumania | £18,400,000 |
| Portugal | £20,000,000 |

GENEROUS BRITAIN.

The British Government erred on the side of generosity. But it was calculated that these payments with the reparations Germany should have paid us would equal the sum that the British Treasury was due to pay the United States.

The German reparation debt originally stood at the figure of £6,600,000,000. This was commuted, however, after a series of breakdowns of payments, by the Dawes Plan, which provided for 66 annuities, averaging £100,000,000 each.

Germany finally paid Great Britain and the Allies up to the date of the Lausanne Conference of last year the sum of £625,000,000. All this money, with the exception of about £100,000,000 retained by France as reparations, has been passed on to the United States Treasury.

The British Government has paid out not only that it has received from reparations and Allied debt

instalments to the United States, but has actually paid over and above that amount, and therefore from the pockets of the British taxpayers, an extra sum of £200,000,000.

It is interesting to recall the figures given at the Bale Experts Conference. They showed that Germany, in making her payments, had merely been using borrowed money all the time. The United States had lent to Europe, and mainly to Germany, during the period when reparations were actually being paid over, £800,000,000, while Great Britain had lent to Germany further sums amounting to over half this amount.

AFTER THE BOOM.

When the boom period came to an end, when Germany could no longer borrow abroad, either for her private commercial bills or for her public debt instalments, reparations broke down.

This fact was clearly recognised and duly stressed in the report of the financial expert at Bale which was issued just before Christmas 1931. There was the germ of a total debt cancellation plan when the experts recommended that, if reparations were to be abolished, it would not be fair to put the whole burden on the European creditor nations who, in their turn, were debtors to the United States.

At this stage it is interesting to consider exactly how this European indebtedness to the United States stands at present. The principal settlements of war debts made by the United States are contained in the following table:—

| Debt. | Amount |
|-------------|--------------|
| Remitted | |
| Gr. Britain | £920,000,000 |
| France | £805,000,000 |
| Italy | £408,000,000 |

While we let off our principal debtor, France, by asking only a present value of £255,000,000 out of a total debt of £600,000,000, thus remitting the huge sum of £345,000,000, our own position with regard to the United States as shown by the above table is very different.

The United States Treasury has been demanding from us annuities of a present total value of £757,600,000, out of a total debt of £920,000,000, and is thus letting us off only £162,400,000, or 18 per cent. of our obligation. Great Britain is letting off France 57 per cent. of her debt and Italy as much as 85 per cent.

But in the dreary history of debt discussion there came the bright interlude of Lausanne. There the European debtor and creditor nations looked facts in the face. They all saw that in reality no debts were being paid, but only fresh ones made.

UNTOLD LOSSES.

Germany had been paying reparations, but had been borrowing the money from the United States and from Great Britain to do so. The Allies were taking as reparations money which they received from the United States, were paying it back one to the other, and finally all of it was going back to its original source, America. The process was entailing untold loss, and was restricting credit. And nobody was one iota the better

(Continued on Next Column.)

The Very Idea!

ECONOMISING

By Edward "Abigail" Kelly.

IN these times of financial misery, it looks as if it's up to us to issue a couple of clarion calls.

What we women must do now that the dollar is rising is economise.

Girls, be frugal, like us. Strive while the iron is hot, and the clothes are all damped down.

If you have been used to wearing silk stockings, go without. If you wear silk dresses, cut 'em out. If you've been in the habit of wearing ribbon in your hair, get your hair bobbed. If you continually wear pink—But let it be, let it lie.

There's too much spendthriftishness in Hongkong to-day. Once upon a time women were content if their h's took them to the pictures. Now they want supper afterwards.

Girls, we can't do those sort of things any longer. We've got to economise.

Onion pickles with our corned beef may be okay at Government House, but for the likes of you and us it savours too much of self-indulgence.

We've worked out a method of keeping a family of ten or thereabouts on ten bucks a week.

Food, of course, is the main item, and for our gimlets and angel's kisses we'll have to rely on the boys.

We have drawn up a menu for the main meal for every day in the week. For the other meals, we are also relying on the imagination of our readers.

All that is needed to provide dinners for the week is:

1 pig's head 1 potato
1 fish 1 apple
1 egg 1 lai chee
1 cucumber 1 banana

Two dollars will easily cover the lot and leave something over in case of unexpected visitors.

MONDAY: Pig's head (boiled), banana, boiled in jacket, grated cucumber.

TUESDAY: Pig's head soup, devilled pig's ear, stuffed lai chee.

WEDNESDAY: Crumbled pork with mashed potato, fried apple.

THURSDAY: Pig's curry, garnished with cucumber rind, apple core with cream (face or shaving).

FRIDAY: Scale soup, boiled fish with other half of potato, butterless bread and butter pudding.

SATURDAY: Stuffed scrambled egg with fish gravy (see Friday) and tea leaves, baked apple pies.

SUNDAY: Roast pig skull, other half of egg with tooth paste garnish, iced arsenic.

Always save your bath tub water for stock. Never clean pots and pans. It wears them out.

Other little economies can be practised. With soap, for instance. When washing, never wash the lather off the body. Let it dry into the skin. Next time the body will only need molasses and rubbing, and the lather will reappear. With care, one rubbing of soap should last a month. In winter time, of course, much longer.

Great saving in gas may be made by going for your life for as long as you can and then having it cut off. The one gas bill will then last for years.

As regards landlords, time-payment collectors, and other odds and ends which we have grouped as "extras," these should be kept going, even in the most rigidly economical household. It is always nice to have someone calling around. One must not neglect one's social life, and, after all, it's easy to say, "No chance, old son. Bluff off, and don't slam the gate."

Politeness costs nothing. Next week we will explain how to knit a jumper for a family of 12 out of a cast-off gas mantle.

save, perhaps, the banks who handled the transfers.

Lausanne therefore decided that reparation payments should come to an end, and that inter-governmental debts should also come to an end, providing that some satisfactory arrangement could be made with the United States.

She is the last creditor nation to stand out.

Everybody else has agreed to wipe debts off their books and to start afresh.

Everybody is agreed that that is the only sane policy, and the only policy which will bring back prosperity and will enable the present World Economic Conference to be crowned with success.

It is to be hoped that the United States will now bring her contribution to this world pooling of common sacrifices and sacrifices.



"I despise parties, but if you don't go they stop inviting you."

LOCAL SCANDAL SHEETS

"TIN TO" TO PAY \$1,000 FOR LIBEL

"LYSOL GIRL" AND "MERRY WIDOW"

The "Merry Widow" and the "Lysol Girl" were designations applied to the main characters concerned in two \$1,000 libel actions before Mr. J. E. Lindell, at the Supreme Court this morning.

Plaintiff was Young Sal-tsoi, widow, of 36 and 38, Main Street, Shaikwan East, and she sued in one action Tang King-chiu and Cheng Suk-chung, publisher and editor respectively of the Tin To newspaper, and in the other action, the Kwok Mon Printing Company, and Fung Wing-hang, both of 251, Nathan Road, Yaumati, printers of the paper.

The claim was for \$1,000 in each case.

Mr. F. C. Rendall, of Russ and Co., appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. A. el Arculli represented the defendants.

IMMORALITY ALLEGED.

Plaintiff alleged that on June 8 defendants falsely and maliciously wrote, printed, and published an article relating to the plaintiff under the heading "A record of eccentric characters in Shaikwan, by the Keeper of the Tam Kung Temple."

Passages in the article were meant, and were understood by those who read them to mean (a) that plaintiff was of low and immoral character, unchaste in her mode of life, (b) that she was promiscuous with numerous men.

Defendants threatened to continue the publication of the same or similar charges against plaintiff who had already been greatly injured in her character and reputation, and had suffered damage.

His Lordship pointed out that the main issue was contained in that part of the defence which contended that plaintiff was not the person of whom the words were written. The onus to prove the contrary was upon the plaintiff.

Mr. Arculli said he had been careful not to plead justification.

PREVIOUS APOLOGY.

Mr. Rendall stated that his client's family were well-known in Shaikwan where they had lived for 40 years. The reference to this "Lysol Girl" connected the article with plaintiff because she was related to the girl referred to by marriage. There had previously been an article on this girl for which an apology had been asked and given by the editor. The phrase "The Merry Widow" was a boat woman but she now lives ashore, was also applicable to his client, but the statement that she lost her husband three years ago was incorrect as the bereavement occurred seven years ago.

After the article appeared, continued Mr. Rendall, plaintiff heard references to the "Merry Widow" and herself wherever she went. Even if it was true that the words were not written of her, they were taken by her relations and friends to apply to her and therefore, he submitted, the claim would not be affected.

Plaintiff went into the witness box and briefly bore out her solicitor's statement.

"LYSOL GIRL'S" EVIDENCE.

There was no cross-examination of the witness on the causes of action and Mr. Rendall asked that his client's evidence be taken as proving his claim.

Mr. Arculli said he was calling no evidence because even if he could prove that the article was not written of Young Sal-tsoi, yet it was understood and read in that light, and His Lordship would give judgment against him accordingly.

In reply to his Lordship's request for proof of plaintiff's connection with the "Lysol Girl," the girl was called.

A pretty witness of 20 years of age, she quietly told the court that she fell in love with a Chinese actor some time ago and when reproved by her relatives, drank a quantity of lysol. She recovered from the poison but had ever since been known as the "Lysol Girl." She added that the article referred to herself and her love affairs and also to Young Sal-tsoi with whom she lived.

On behalf of his clients, Mr. Arculli expressed regret at the offending publication and said that if an apology had been asked for, it would have been given. The paper had now ceased publication.

His Lordship said it seemed incomprehensible that defendants were ignorant of plaintiff and her particular circumstances, and judgment would be given against them for the amount claimed, \$1,000, and costs. The second action, against the printers, was adjourned.

WITHOUT I.G.P.'S APPROVAL

MAN AND WIFE WITH EXPLOSIVES

Chan Kwong-shun (78), a typical old Chinese "sea-dog," and his wife, Kwok Tai (69) appeared before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with unlawful possession of 67 sticks of dynamite, 131 detonators and two coils of fuse without a permit from the I. G. P., and also with having the explosives for an unlawful purpose.

Both defendants pleaded guilty to the charges, but said the explosives were for fishing purposes.

Revenue Officer T. A. Ellis said that he boarded the defendants' junk in Tai Miu Bay opposite Cape Collinson. The second defendant was seen to throw a bag down the rudder trunkway, but it was recovered, and the explosives found in it.

Mr. Schofield cautioned defendants on the second charge but fined them \$25 or three weeks each on the first count.

PROTECTING THE CHILDREN

POLICE TAKE ACTION AGAINST YOUTHS

Following action taken by the Kowloon Police over the weekend, six Chinese were brought before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on charges of committing a breach of the Children's Playground Ordinance in that they, unlawfully used the children's playground at Chatham Road on Saturday evening.

Defendants were Cheng Shung-hai (18), Cheng Chi-hong (10), Cheung Tak (26), Wong Shun-shi (30), Lam Ki (20) and Kwai Yuk (24).

It was stated that four of the defendants were actually making use of the swings and seesaws when arrested, but two were only sitting on the seats inside the playgrounds.

Cheung Tak and Wong Shun-shi, who, the Police stated, were sitting on the seats, were discharged, while the other four were fined \$5 each.

OPPORTUNITY FOR SHIPPING CO.

TO CLAIM OR DISCLAIM UNMANIFESTED CARGO

In order to give the shipping company concerned an opportunity to claim or disclaim cargo seized aboard the s.s. Tai Shan, Revenue Officer Grimmer this morning asked for the hearing to be fixed for an application for confiscation.

Mr. Grimmer explained that the liquor comprising two cases of whiskey and four cases of Australian port wine, was exported and returned on the same ship. It was not reported to the Revenue Department and was unmanifested cargo.

Mr. Wynne-Jones fixed the hearing for Thursday, July 27 at 2.30.

HITLER'S LATEST

ANTI-JEWISH CAMPAIGN EXTENDED

Berlin, July 12.

The Nazi anti-Jewish campaign motion pictures.

It was announced that everyone connected with pictures would be required to prove Aryan descent and German citizenship.

ed until Friday, Mr. Arculli stating that the particulars were exactly the same.

An application by Mr. Rendall for immediate execution of the judgment was refused by His Lordship who said such action might be a hardship on the defendants who were not necessarily morally responsible.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE INFINITELY LITTLE HAVE A PRIDE INFINITELY GREAT.—Voltaire.

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Wm. Yinnon Lee and Miss Dorothy Wen-Teh Fong of Shanghai. The wedding will take place at the Community Church, Shanghai, on July 24. The honeymoon will be spent in South China and Hongkong.

TRICK DESIGN IN ADVERTISEMENT

NEWSPAPER AND TEA FIRM SUMMONED

INDECENT PICTURE

An advertisement for the "Lai-chee" and "Rose" brands of tea of the Wah Sang Tea Merchants, appearing in the Chinese newspaper, Tsun Wan Yat Po, which contained an alleged indecent drawing, formed the subject of summonses brought against Ho Ah-suen, editor, and Wan Man-chi, publisher of the paper, before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning.

Also appearing before the Magistrate was Wan Chi-ming, manager of the Wah Sang Tea Merchants.

Mr. W. P. Thompson, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence (Special Branch) appeared for the prosecution, while Mr. Leo D'Almada, senior, defended Wan Chi-ming, and Mr. C. Y. Kwan represented the editor and publisher.

The case against Mr. Kwan's clients was adjourned sine die, and the summons against the tea merchant was proceeded with.

Mr. D'Almada said that although his client pleaded not guilty, he was fully prepared to give an undertaking not to use the picture again. He thought the Police should be satisfied with that undertaking.

Mr. Thompson said that the picture was shown to me there were certain Chinese characters, which I understand to mean "There is a hidden meaning in this picture."

Mr. D'Almada—There are all sorts of construction to be put on those words.

Mr. Thompson said the Police were not prepared to withdraw. The picture was an advertisement for "Lai-chee" and "Rose" brand teas. On turning the paper upside down, and by placing two fingers over the two ladies' heads, the picture thus revealed was, the Police submitted, indecent.

Mr. Thompson, at Mr. D'Almada's request, entered the witness box.

Cross-examined, Mr. Thompson agreed that his attention was drawn to the picture. He could read Chinese.

He agreed that the picture, upright, was not indecent, but without the four small characters. The characters would draw his special attention to the picture. There was something more in the picture than the advertisement itself.

Mr. D'Almada—Something after what you find in Christmas crackers. Those puzzles, you know?

—Yes, I know.

Mr. D'Almada—Even on turning the picture upside down, unless one is a filthy minded person, the picture would convey nothing.

—I don't agree with that.

Magistrate—Mr. D'Almada, are you suggesting that Mr. Thompson has a dirty mind?

Mr. D'Almada—No, not at all. Far from it.

Wan Pak-ki, advertising canvasser of the Tsun Wan Yat Po, giving evidence, said he did not pay any attention to the printing block as the Wah Sang was a respectable firm.

Witness said he did not see the four characters in the middle of the picture.

Mr. D'Almada—I put it to you that others may not have seen them, just as you did not.

Magistrate—That is a matter of opinion. Mr. D'Almada, how can he say what people see? Please confine yourself to ordinary questions.

Reading the characters, witness said that from them he would understand there was another meaning in the picture.

He told Mr. Wynne-Jones that the newspaper had received trick advertisements before, containing four characters.

Magistrate—After you read those four characters you would realise that this is a trick design?

—Yes.

How do you set about finding the trick?—I never try to find the trick.

You never try to find out what they are?—No.

Magistrate—If you take my advice you will be a little more careful over trick designs.

Wun Sing, advertising manager, said he could read the characters in the middle of the picture but did not know their meaning.

Mr. D'Almada—If you did notice the characters, would that alter your mind?—No.

The hearing was adjourned to Thursday at 2.30 p.m.

BUS CONDUCTOR DEFRAUDS

GIVES 5 CENT TICKETS FOR 20 CENTS

How a bus conductor punched two five-cent tickets when paid 20 cents was related to Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when Ho Cho, a conductor employed by the Kowloon Motor Bus Company, was charged with attempting to defraud the Company.

Giving evidence, Mr. L. A. Barton said he was a passenger on a No. 7 bus at 8.30 a.m. yesterday together with his wife, and another lady. They got on the bus just outside the St. Teresa's Church and were bound for Kowloon Tong.

They were in the first class compartment, but the conductor made no attempt to collect their fares.

When they were about to get off, the conductor came up and asked for the fares. He was handed 20 cents, but he punched only one ticket. Witness asked him for the other one and he accordingly made out another.

The party then got off the bus, and it was then that witness found that the tickets were for five cents each. He reported the matter to the Bus Company.

Mr. William Louey, Manager of the Company, testified that the tickets given to Mr. Barton by the defendant were five-cent tickets issued to the defendant when the bus left the Company's depot.

A fine of \$100 or two months was imposed.

TEMPTING \$20 A MONTH WORKER

EMPLOYER ROBBED OF \$361

"It is rather a big sum of money to be in the possession of a man who is paid \$20 a month" remarked Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when passing sentence of four months hard labour on Lam Wah, charged with the larceny by servant of \$361 from the Lee Shing-salt fish store, 134, Des Voeux Road, West.

The complainant, Chan Cho, master of the shop, said that the defendant was left in charge of the money and the business as he was an experienced man. He was paid \$20 a month.

Acting Sub-Inspector O'Donovan said that on May 8 the defendant took the money from the safe, and vanished from the Colony. He was arrested on July 14 in Des Voeux Road. He had spent all the money in Canton, and was unable to make restitution.

MAGISTRATE SEEKS GOLD EXPERTS

SOLID GOLD BANGLE IN COURT

Sentence of six weeks' gaol was imposed by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on Wong Kit, for the possession of a gold bangle, reasonably suspected of having been stolen.

Defendant, who was remanded from Saturday, changed his story to-day when he said that he was given the bangle as security for a gambling debt, and that he was to pawn it.

Detective-Sergeant Fowle said no owner could be traced.

His Worship, examining the bangle, asked in vain if there were any gold experts in Court. The interpreter—If the bangle is solid gold it will be worth about \$100.

Magistrate—It is solid gold.

POPE VISITS THE ALBAN HILLS

SUFFOCATING HEAT WAVE

Rome, July 10. For the first time since 1870, a Pope visited the Villa Castel Gandolfo in the Alban Hills to-day, when the present Pontiff made a trip to the spot which was once the regular summer resort of the Popes.

The visit was made under great secrecy and took place in order that His Holiness should escape for a few hours from the present suffocating heat wave which is prostrating the people of Rome.

The Pope returned later in the evening, after inspecting his model farm, which is one of the most remarkable farms in the world. His Swales cows are milked by electricity and each papal hen bears an identity disc affixed to the leg. The Pope is accompanied with the date and with the papal emblem.

RADIO BROADCAST

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Do Groot and the New Victoria Orchestra. 114229.

Vocal Duet—The Keys of Heaven (Broadwood).

Vocal Duet—A Paradise for Two (Tato).

Alice Moxon and Stuart Robertson. C2014.

Duet for Two Pianos—Impromptu—Rococo (Schutt).

Harold Bauer and Ossip Gabrilowitsch. 8102.

Song—Harlequin (Sanderson).

Song—The Tune The Ho'sun Played (Loughborough).

Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone). B3070.

Violin Solo—Tango (Elman).

Violin Solo—Album Leaf—Romance (Wagner-Wilhelms).

Mischa Elman. 7105.

6.35-7.5 p.m.

Nights in the Garden of Spain (de Falla).

Symphony Orchestra conducted by Piero Coppola. 9703/9705.

7.5 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.5 p.m. Variety.

Orchestral—La Guajira.

Don Asplazu and His Orchestra. B0298.

Violin Solo—Blue Skies.

Fritz Kreisler. 1233.

Vocal Duet—I've Found a Whole World in You.

Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. B3716.

Orchestral—I Don't Want to go to Bed.

Ambrose and His Orchestra. B0270.

Song—I Give My Heart.

Grace Moore (Soprano). 1614.

Xylophone Solo—On the Track.

Jack Simpson. B4351.

Songs—(a) Hail Away, Joe (b) What Small we Do with the Drunken Sailor.

John Goss (Baritone). B2420.

Orchestral—Another Night Alone.

Ruby Newman and His Orchestra. B0247.

Orchestral—Lamento Borinqueno.

Don Asplazu and His Orchestra. B0298.

Violin Solo—Dance of the Maidens.

Fritz Kreisler. 1233.

Vocal Duet—Dainty Little Maiden.

Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. B3716.

Orchestral—Let's All Sing Like the Birds Do.

Ambrose and His Orch. B2070.

Song—The Dubarry.

Grace Moore (Soprano). 1614.

Xylophone Solo—The Clock and the Dresden China Figures.

Jack Simpson. B4351.

Songs—(a) Fire Down Below (b) Hullo! Hullo! Belay.

John Goss (Baritone). B2420.

Orchestral—My Heart's at Ease.

Ruby Newman and His Orchestra. B0247.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-11.30 p.m. A relay from the Kowloon Theatre.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

ATTEMPT TO ROB EUROPEAN

CHINESE CAUGHT IN THE ACT

Mr. F. X. d'Almada, Jr., appeared before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on behalf of a man named Shum Yip-yin, who was charged with attempted larceny from Mr. M. Benedetto, an Italian in the employ of the Vibro Piling Co. The case was alleged that whilst Mr. Benedetto was alighting from a bus in Leichikok Road on July 9, he felt a push behind him and tug at his hip-pocket where he kept his purse containing \$100 in cash. He seized the man and handed him over to an Indian constable who was nearby.

Mr. Benedetto said he was in the bus together with a friend, Mr. J. Abraham. As witness was getting off, he felt a push from behind and at the same time he felt that somebody was tugging at his purse. Turning round, he saw defendant with one hand partly in his hip-pocket and he seized it. He punched defendant with his left hand.

Answering Mr. d'Almada, witness said that the motion of the bus could not have pushed his purse half way out of his pocket, because his hip pocket was very tight and his purse was big.

Mr. Abraham gave corroborative evidence.

After putting his client in the box where he denied the charge against him, Mr. Almadada submitted that there was a certain amount of doubt in the case. The bus, as was given in the evidence, was crowded and there must have been a certain amount of jostling about when the passengers alighted. It was possible that defendant was pushed into the complainant by the people behind.

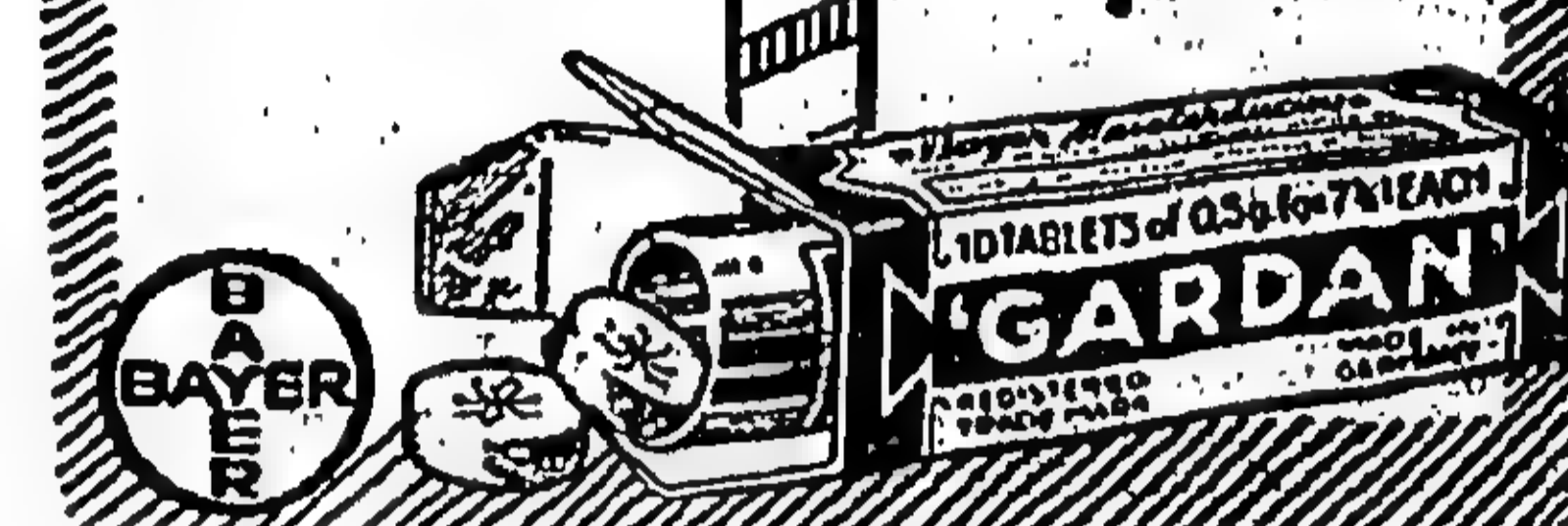
Mr. Abraham decided to convict and passed sentence of four months' hard labour.

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EFFECT OF THE F.A. FIASCO

ARMY'S ERROR OF TACTICS UNFORTUNATE POSITION MUDDLE CAUSED BY MEDDLING

[By "Wanderer."]

The net result of the Army's benevolent desire to put the rules of the Hongkong Football Association up on a proper footing is that they are in a greater mess than ever they were.

Friday's annual meeting leaves the Association with a mixed constitution, half the old and half the new, and they do not mix very well. For instance, the provision that the secretaries are to be appointed by the Council at its first meeting after the A.G.M. would cause no complications if members of Council were nominated by Clubs, but difficulties immediately crop up under the old system of election.

It was indeed unfortunate that the more important part of the new constitution was not approved on Friday. It represents a reform which has been advocated for many years past. It would secure a fairer representation, infinitely more satisfactory to clubs in membership.

THE ARMY AT FAULT.

It was rejected—or rather, failed to secure sufficient votes—simply because the proposed changes to League rules appeared to be little less than a military attempt to dictate to civilian clubs on the question of who they could choose to represent them on the football field. The reply of the civilian clubs was to oppose any step which seemed to have the effect of strengthening the Army representation on the Council, to attempt on the other hand to tie them down to the barest minimum.

It was in this spirit that eight of the delegates refused to give approval to the proposal that every Club, including each Army Unit, in the Senior Division should have one representative.

Actually it was a very small point, too small to warrant the rejection of the Council reform scheme as a whole.

ERROR IN TACTICS.

As it was, the subsequent election resulted in two Army representatives getting through, and they will have three in a total Council of sixteen.

Had the new constitution been approved, they would have had (when three battalions are stationed in Hongkong) five representatives out of twenty-three or twenty-four, a proportion only fractionally higher, certainly not large enough to lead to the dictatorship which seemed to be feared.

In the handling of the proposed rule changes, it will no doubt be admitted by the Army representatives, they were guilty of a bad error in tactics. If the proposed changes to the Association rules had been left as more or less approved at the extraordinary

BIG TENNIS GAME OFF

POSTPONEMENT OF C.R.C. CLASH

MIXED DOUBLES ENCOUNTER

The much anticipated clash between the two C.R.C. teams in the "A" Division of the tennis league, due to take place to-day, has been postponed.

The "B" team is unable to raise a side and has asked the "A" to postpone the fixture. This has been agreed to. At the present both combinations have 100 per cent. records in the "A" Division, and their meeting will be one of the tit-bits of the season.

By curious coincidence the two South China teams conflict this afternoon, but it will be an easy thing for the "A" six. Craigengower entertain the Cricket Club and the K.C.C. should garner points from the University at Pokfulam. The programme is:

C.C.C. v H.K.C.C.

—at Happy Valley

University v K.C.C.

—at Pokfulam

S.C.A.A. "A" v S.C.A.A. "B"

—at King's Park

MIXED DOUBLES.

C.R.C. v I.R.C.

—at Causeway Bay

meeting of August 17, 1932, they would have been carried unanimously. But they were altered to meet military susceptibilities and the majority of the clubs would not have them in their new form. The change to Rule 5a, as finally approved, is little short of ludicrous. The Army sponsor admitted that the situation which induced the framing of the rule was not likely to occur again, but there it was, giving the Army a privilege which the civilian clubs proceeded to demand for themselves, and secured, with the result that at any future meeting of the Association, a check upon club representation is going to be exceedingly difficult. If, for instance, I turn up at the meeting and find there is only one delegate from Eastern, I can represent Eastern with the other delegate's approval. I can announce myself as the proxy for any club which forgets to send a delegate.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT NECESSARY.

In Rule 5a, as revised, there is reference to nominations to the Council when no provision is made for nominations to Council elsewhere in the rules.

Nothing is more certain in fact that yet another attempt will have to be made to provide the Association with a set of rules which do not conflict one with another at various points. And it is necessary to restore voting powers to officers and retiring members of Council, provided that the nomination system is introduced for Council appointments.

BRITAIN & AMERICA NEXT FRIDAY

INTER-ZONE DAVIS CUP MATCH

A TRILLING TIE ANTICIPATED.

U.S. "SPECIALITY" TEAM

LIKELY LINE-UP



J. VAN RYN.

What assuredly will provide the greatest international tennis match of the year will be staged at the Stade Roland Garros, Auteuil this coming week-end, when Great Britain and America meet in the Inter-Zone final of the Davis Cup to determine who shall challenge France for the trophy.

It is conceivable that this tie will exceed even the challenge round in thrills and excitement, and it is felt in many quarters that the winners will ultimately capture the Davis Cup.

Britain are within an ace of repeating the achievement of 1931, when Perry, Austin, Hughes and Kingsley fought their way to the challenge round only to fall against France after the greatest post-war challenge tie.

Britain defeated America in the Inter-Zone final two years ago, and there is no reason why the performance should not be repeated on Friday, Saturday and Sunday next.

The report that Fred Perry's shoulder will have recovered by then removes any uncomfortable

doubts in this direction. The Englishmen have just beaten Australia and although admittedly they are coming up against the first specially selected team ever to leave America, the chances of the Britons can be regarded as even.

U. S. EXPERIMENT.

The United States Davis Cup selectors have embarked on an experiment this summer. Heretofore the Davis Cup nominees have played at Wimbledon. It was the strain cast on Frank Shield, and Sydney Wood as a result of their efforts at Wimbledon, which was reported to have affected their play against Austin and Perry.

So that Wilmer Allison, George Lott and Van Ryn, who are members of the selected American team this year did not make an appearance at the Championships, and have been reserved exclusively for the Davis Cup.

Ellsworth Vines, who of course, will play No. 1 singles this week, was bound to defend his title, and Clifford Sutter, who is also named as a member of the team, was a contestant at Wimbledon.



GEORGE LOTT.

Britain's four will remain unaltered, and barring accidents, Austin, Perry and Hughes will be called on to carry the match through.

It is not without interest to note that in 1931, Lott and Van Ryn, who are this year's doubles combination, beat Perry and Hughes by three sets to one. The Americans will find the Englishmen a different proposition now.

Nevertheless Britain may have to rely on the singles to pull through, snatching one rubber from Vines and two from Allison. This is a tall order.

The teams will almost certainly be as follows:

BRITAIN.

No. 1 Singles:—H. W. Austin
No. 2 Singles:—Fred Perry
Doubles:—G. P. Hughes and F. J. Perry

AMERICA.

No. 1 Singles:—Ellsworth Vines
No. 2 Singles:—Wilmer Allison
Doubles:—G. M. Lott and J. Van Ryn.

ELECTRIC SHOCKS AT MING YUEN

DEFEAT FOR CRAIGENGOWER

BOWLING GREEN ON TOP

PULL OFF SMART DOUBLE

Talk about electric shocks!

Craigengower second string had voltage given them at regular intervals on Saturday when they visited the Hongkong Electric and sustained their second defeat of the season.

Beaten on two of the three rinks, the "Craig" finally finished ten shots to the bad. W. Gill's rink had a "shocking" experience losing by 23 shots.

Once again W. V. Field and his colleagues came up smiling, but

scrapping home against the Yacht Club they stand on level pegging for second place with Craigengower.

Up in the senior division the Bowling Green maintained premier position by virtue of success over the Recoelo.

This was a pleasant match with very little in it. The Austin Road bowlers clung tenaciously to their home record and at the same time did a lot to put "paid" to the championship prospects of the Portuguese. Not that the Recoelo are out of the running. Far from it. But both the Bowling Green and Craigengower will have to make errors to open up the Recoelo's chances.

A VITAL GAME.

Craigengower, as expected, took full toll from Taikeo. "Consistency" saw all three rinks win with comfortable margins. It would seem that Craigengower have only one match of which they have cause to be afraid—their visit to Civil Service.

The Bowling Green stumbled there as most of the teams do. The best will be drawn out of the champions if they win on their neighbour's green.

RESULTS.

DIVISION 1.

82 Taikeo 36
56 Civil Service 39

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PARLIAMENTARY GOLF FINAL

Prince of Wales Beaten

London, July 15.

H. R. H. the Prince of Wales met Mr. George Lambert, member of Parliament for Mouth Molton, Devonshire, in the final of the Parliamentary Golf Handicap to-day.

Mr. Lambert won by five up and four to play.

The Prince, in the first round of the tournament, beat Sir Thomas Ince by seven and five, in the second round he beat Mr. A. E. Winn by four and three and in the semi-final he won from Lady Astor by two and one.

Mr. Lambert beat Sir Arthur Steel Maitland in the semi-final—British Wireless.

VALLEY GOLF

Two Foursomes Ties Played Yesterday

Two matches in the Happy Valley Golf Club's summer foursomes competition were played off yesterday. E. D. Matthews and J. D. Kinnaird defeated L. Goldman and A. Macfarlane on the 20th green to enter the third round, and C. Thwaites and E. M. Hanlon defeated J. A. R. Selby and J. Harrop 2 up. Both matches were second round ties.

During the week, L. Goldman defeated C. H. Bradley in the 4th round of the Singles competition by scores of 6 up and 6; J. W. Mayhew defeated W. H. Edmunds by a similar score, and A. McKellar defeated G. W. Tate 4 up and 3.

RIFLE SHOOTING

England Recapture Elcho Shield

London, July 15.

England, with an aggregate of 1885 points, regained the Elcho Rifle Shooting Shield at Blaisy yesterday. Scotland, the holders, were second with 1,607 points and Ireland third with 1,583.—Reuter.

Civil Service 8-4-4 3 442 477
K'loon Dock 9-3-3 0 439 519
T'keo Dock 9-3-3 0 437 502
K.C.C. 9-3-3 0 440 550

DIVISION-2

K.B.C.C. 9-7-2 14 611-603
C.C.C. 9-6-2 12 519 588
Civil Service 9-6-2 12 486 425
Recoelo 9-4-5 6 528 497
Yacht Club 8-4-4 4 434 448
C.C.C. 8-4-4 4 434 448
Police 8-4-4 4 434 448
Indian 8-4-4 4 434 448

H.K. VOLUNTEERS AQUATICS

SWIMMING TITLES

CONDUCTED BY V. R. C.

DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED

The Victoria Recreation Club has to hold the Annual Open Colony's Championships in all the event competed for in former years.

Though the exact dates have not been definitely settled, they will be somewhere around the end of the swimming season, in order to allow the various Aquatic Clubs to decide their own Championships and enable them to send official representatives.

As in previous years, these Championships will be open to the whole Colony and anyone may enter, whether he represents a Club or as an individual.

The various Championship events are given below, with the present title-holders and times and, as the 50 yds Freestyle is now recognised as an event for Inter-port competition, the Committee are considering the inclusion of this distance in the programme.

Secretaries of Clubs desiring further information are invited to communicate with the Hon. Secretary of the V.R.C. who will gladly supply same.

PRESENT CHAMPIONS.

100 yds Freestyle, S. V. Gittins (V.R.C.) 60.3/5 sec. 220 yds. Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.) 2m 37.3/5 sec. 440 yds. Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.) 5m 59.1/5 sec. 880 yds. Freestyle, L. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.) 12m 19.3/5 sec. 100 yds. Backstroke, L. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.) 74.1/5 sec. 100 yds. Breaststroke, Kwok Chun Hang (S.C.A.A.), 77 sec. Long Plunge, S. H. Garrod (Y.M.C.A.) 61 ft. 9 ins. Throw Pole Ball, F. Webb (Y.M.C.A.), 62 ft. 7 ins. 100 yds. Freestyle (Ladies) Miss Yeung Sau King (S.C.A.A.), 72.1/5 sec.

RECORD LOWERED

J. Ladoumegue's Time Bettered

Princeton, July 15.

Twice during the running of the mile race between the combined Universities of Princeton and Cornell against Cambridge and Oxford, the mile record was lowered.

E. Lovelock, the Australian runner from Oxford University, and Bonthron, of Princeton, both beat J. Ladoumegue's record for the distance in 1931. The Frenchman ran the mile in 4 mins. 9.1/5 secs. but Lovelock was over a second faster. He ran the distance in 4 mins 7.3/5 secs. while Bonthron covered it in 4 mins. 9.7/10 secs.

The combined American Universities beat the combined English Universities by eight events to four.—Reuter.

TO BE HELD ON AUGUST 12

AN ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME

CUSTOMARY INTER UNITS CONTEST

The Hongkong Volunteers will hold their annual swimming sports at the Victoria Recreation Club, on August 12 according to a preliminary notice just issued.

Six of the twelve events arranged will be included as part of the Corps Inter-Unit Cup competition, those being the high diving, 100 yards handicap, 100 yards championship, 50 yards handicap free style, 50 yards championship, and Inter-Company team race.

THE PROGRAMME.

The following is the complete programme:
100 yards Handicap—Free style
Heats.
100 yards Championship—Heats.
50 yards Handicap—Free style
Heats.
50 yards Championship—Heats.
High Diving.
Final—100 yards Handicap.
Final—100 yards Championship.
Pillow Fight.
Final—50 yards Handicap—Free style.
Final—50 yards Championship.
Inter-Company team race.
Water Polo—H. K. V. D. C. v United Services.

CONDITIONS.

The conditions governing entry into the events are laid down as follows:

Entries to be made in writing accompanied by the necessary entrance fees to the Hon. Secretary, C. S. M. Padgett at the H.K.V.D.C. Headquarters, not later than 5 p.m. on Monday, 7th August, 1933. O's. C. Units or Company representatives to send in names of team for Inter-Company team race.

Entrance fee \$2.00 per team. Handicapping will be arranged at the V.R.C. bath on 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th August 1933 after 5 p.m. under the handicapper, a member of the V.R.C.

Admission tickets \$1.00 each will be available at the Sergeants' Mess, Canteen and Victoria Recreation Club. Competitors—entrance free.

THE CORPS EVENTS.

The Corps will be divided as follows for the purpose of competing in Corps Events:
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Scottish Company.
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Anzac Company.
Small Units (Battery, Engineer Co., Corps Signals, Medical Section and Cadres).

BASEBALL "CHAMPS"

SOUTH CHINA WIN LOCAL LEAGUE FOR ANOTHER YEAR

South China have won the Hongkong Baseball League as a result of the defeat of the Hongkong Club by the U.S. Navy on Sunday.

In a final league match South China overcame the U.S. Navy on Saturday by six runs to three.

Yesterday the champions indulged in an exhibition match with the Canton Military Academy and won by 14 runs to nil.

Box scores in all three games follow.

U.S. Navy v. H. K. Club.

The box score:
U.S. NAVY.
ABR H PO A E
Ross 1 0 0 1 2
Donovan 2 0 0 2 3
Halo 3 2 0 7 0
Heald 4 2 2 1 0
Storid 3 1 2 3 3
Barnett 1 0 0 0 1
Croll 1 0 0 2 0
Taylor 4 0 0 1 0
Patterson 3 0 1 1 0
20 7 5 21 11

HONGKONG BASEBALL CLUB.
Biggs 1 0 0 0 1
McInnes 2 0 1 2 8
Wright 3 0 1 4 1
Shang 1 0 0 1 0

South China v. Canton M. A.
ABR H PO A E
K. H. Leung 2 0 0 1 1
K. Lee 1 0 0 5 1
K. C. Tean 3 0 0 1 3
K. W. Pau 3 0 0 1 0
J. Yee 3 0 0 1 4
A. Fong 1 0 0 1 1
Y. K. Ng 3 0 0 0 0
W. K. Li 2 0 0 1 0
T. S. Wong 2 0 0 3 0
21 0 0 17 10

Three Base hits—Heald. Two Base Hits, Hend.
First on Bases—Brown 3. Biggs 4.
Patterson 2.
Struck Out by Biggs 3. Patterson 3.

Left on base—U.S.N. 10. Club 5. Double plays—Donovan-Store-Halo. Ross-Donovan-Halo.
Umpire, Netrol, chief. Kwok base. Scorer—K. Y. Mann.

SOUTH CHINA

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Scene during the match between Craigengower and Taikeo at Happy Valley on Saturday, when the champions beat the Recreation Club in the Lawn Tennis League.

the deficit on their colleagues' rinks was too severe to make good. Nevertheless Field and Co. finished fourteen shots up.

THANKS A LOT.

Of course this did the Bowling Green any amount of good, particularly in face of their own success against the Recoelo. Not only did it re-establish them as leaders of the second division, but put them a couple of points ahead of the Craigengower, Civil

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OBITUARY

SIR H. DRAKE-BROCKMAN
DIES IN INDIA

London, July 15.
Announcement is made of the death of Sir Henry Vernon Drake-Brockman, the barrister-at-law, who, for more than a quarter of a century, has been actively associated with the Judiciary in India.—Our Own Correspondent.

Sir Henry was born in Madras in 1865 where his father, Mr. H. J. Brockman was Crown Solicitor. He returned to England for his education, attending Charterhouse as scholar and exhibitor and St. Peter's College, Cambridge. In 1889, he gained his First Class Law Tripos and went to India in the same year. From 1889 to 1890 he was Assistant Commissioner in the Indian Civil Service and during the two following years was Under-Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, C.P. In 1892 he was appointed Commissioner of Excise, a post he held for two years. In 1895 he was made Deputy Commissioner at Wardha, and from 1896 to 1901 held the office of Divisional and Sessions Judge at Nerbudda. His next appointment was that of Deputy Commissioner, Raipur, in 1901, and he officiated as Judicial Commissioner in 1903, 1905 and 1906. In 1906 he became Judicial Commissioner of the Central Provinces and Berar, India, a post he held until 1911.

He was created a Knight in 1913. He leaves two sons, his wife predeceasing him by two years.

Sir James Craig

London, July 15.
The death of Sir James Craig, of 18, Merrion Square, Dublin, marks the passing of one of the foremost and most able members of the medical profession in Ireland. He was M.P. for Dublin University in the Dail Eireann.

At the time of his death, Sir James held many appointments, amongst them being King's Professor of Medicine at the School of Physic, Trinity College, Dublin; Physician to Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital; Consulting Physician to Dr. Steeven's Hospital, to Crookling Sanatorium for Consumption, and to the Cottage Hospital, Drogheda; ex-President of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland; and Lecturer on medicine to the post graduate classes at Trinity College, Dublin.

Sir James was born at Castleknock, Bushmills, Co. Antrim, in October 1861, and was educated at the Academical Institution, Coleraine, and Trinity College, Cambridge. In 1885 he graduated with the B.A., M.B. and B. Ch. degrees of the Dublin University.

Since that time he has held many medical appointments, amongst them being the following: Assistant physician (1888-92); Visiting physician (1892-1910), at the Meath Hospital, Dublin; Demonstrator of Anatomy at the Irish Royal College of Surgeons; Extra lecturer on medicine, Carmichael College, Dublin; Assistant Physician at the "National Children's Hospital" from 1886-96; Honorary Secretary of the Leinster branch of the British Medical Association from 1895-1905; President of the branch in 1906; a member of the Central Council of the British Medical Association; Vice-president of the Medical and Neurological Sections of the B.M.A., and a member of the Irish Committee of the same Association; Registrar of the Royal College of Physicians, Ireland from 1897-1910, and Censor and Vice-president from 1914-14; a member of the Council of Trinity College, Dublin, from 1913-16; General Secretary and Editor of Transactions of the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland, 1904-10; External Examiner in Medicine at Queen's University, Belfast, from 1916-20; and Examiner in Medicine for entrance to the R.A.M.C. from 1902-05.

Sir James has contributed to many periodicals including the Dublin Journal of Medical Science, and Transactions of the Royal Academy of Medicine. In the British Medical Journal he has contributed numerous papers on nervous, gastric, haemic and other diseases.

He married in 1906, and leaves a widow, three sons and one daughter.—Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Edwin Ward

London, July 15.
The death is announced of Mr. Edwin Ward, director of the Royal Scottish Museum, at the age 53.—Our Own Correspondent.

MEET ME AT THE QUEEN'S.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY
THE THEATRES

Fugitive from a hanging squad, with a price on his head! This was the rather unwelcome role which a few years ago was played by Bela Lugosi, the famous Hungarian actor who is now appearing at the King's Theatre in the United Artists picture, "White Zombie."

In the revolution in Hungary in 1918, Lugosi was one of the principal lieutenants of Count Karolyi, who seized the reins of government. "Soon afterward, however," says Lugosi, in recounting his adventures during those hectic days, "the royalists regained control of the government, and whenever they could find a member of the Karolyi party, they proceeded to hang him. I escaped into Austria, then went to Germany, and finally proceeded to the United States."

"Platinum Blonde"
Dowagers and debutantes are social classifications in New York, but in Hollywood they are jobs wanted.

When a picture such as "Platinum Blonde," opening on Thursday at the Queen's is being filmed, dowagers and debutantes come into their own in the film capital. They are highly paid extras, a limited number out of the sixteen thousand odd registrants at the casting office who can successfully wear the clothes and observe the niceties of social behaviour commonly accredited to the leisured class.

"Platinum Blonde" practically exhausted Hollywood casting offices' social registers.

"Platinum Blonde" has a pretentious cast headed by Loretta Young, Robert Williams and Jean Harlow. Supporting roles are played by Louise Chase, Hale, Donald Dillaway, Walter Catlett, and Halliwell Hobbs. It is a Frank Capra production.

"The King's Cup"
The Central Theatre is showing "The King's Cup," the air thriller from the British and Dominion Studios, produced by Herbert Wilcox and starring Dorothy Boucher and Harry Milton.

There are some really remarkable flying stunts to be seen in this picture, culminating in the famous King's Cup race around Britain, which was actually filmed during last year's race when Captain Hope won the cup. The result is fascinating in the extreme, giving as it does some wonderful shots of familiar stretches of country receding below the plane speeding at over one hundred miles an hour.

The story is a romantic one concerning the love affair of a pretty shop-girl for a good-looking pilot and how, when he is disqualified after a nasty crash, she gets her pilot's certificate and enters for the King's Cup. Dorothy Boucher, looking lovelier than ever, makes a charming heroine, and the handsome Harry Milton, expert pilot is particularly well cast as the hero.

"The Silver Lining"
Motion picture producers are moving away from gangster films, red-

hot rhythm pictures and talkies that spot sex. They are going back to the kind of wholesome stories that made Mary Pickford, and love tales with a modern realistic background. Such a story is "The Silver Lining", made by Pathecin Pictures and directed by Alan Crosland, which comes to the King's Theatre as the next attraction.

This is a story of New York—the two extreme sides of New York life—pent-house luxury and tenement poverty. It records the lives led by the ultra rich while the poor starve, and in graphic detail portrays the lower East Side and upper Park Avenue.

There is a love background running through it, plenty of wholesome comedy with a thrill or two, and the whole is portrayed by a youthful cast of beauty and charm.

Maureen O'Sullivan plays the leading role, John V. Brice as the young man in his first screen role, direct from the Broadway stage. Betty Compson, of beloved memory, has the second feminine role, Montagu Love, the suave and polished villain of many a screen presentation, is also in the cast.

In addition there is pretty Mary Doran, youthful stage brunette, and a bevy of Hollywood beauties, and snappy boys from the cinema capital. It is a picture built for entertainment purposes only, and the scenes are laid in New York's tenement district, fashionable Park Avenue, aboard a yacht and in smart Westchester Country.

"The Silver Lining" strikes an optimistic note in trouperous times. It is calculated to chase away gloom and bring a ray of sunshine, which is a tonic that will make everybody feel better.

Durante and the Kangaroo

Round and round the ring fled Jimmy Durante, followed by a trained boxing kangaroo, intent on putting him down for the count.

Thus "Schnozzle" got his greatest thrill to date in a talking picture. It happened in "Hell Below," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's spectacular thriller of submarine warfare, now playing at the Queen's Theatre.

Jimmy braved being under water in a submarine for fifteen days—and was funny as ever. But when they put him in a comedy sequence with the boxing kangaroo in the Italian carnival sequence—it was funny to everybody but Jimmy.

"The brute wanted to knock off my nose—the nose I got insured!" says Jimmy. "He wanted to batter my career flat—but I seen the gloom in his eye and keeps away. This here kangaroo could jump ten feet in the air. I hate to think what he'd done to me—only I didn't stop. If I never see another kangaroo it'll be too soon!"

Jimmy plays "Pomarine" in the vivid drama of life with a submarine flotilla in action, based on Commander Edward Ellsberg's novel, "Pigboats," Robert Montgomery, Walter Huston, Madge Evans, Eugene Pallette, Robert Young, Edwin Stiles, David Newell and others are in the cast.

Much of "Hell Below" was filmed on actual submarines in action at Pearl Harbour. The torpedoing of ships, anti-aircraft operations, the blowing up of a fort and bottling up of a harbour are among the details which create a spectacular background for the central romance.

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I'M ALL SET NOW!

HURRY UP, BLOVS... DRINK UP SOUP AND ME BLING IN DINNER, VELL TASTY, HOH!

AND HAVE WE A DOUBLE-BARREL APPETITE... BOY!

I WAS WONDERIN' WHERE YOU TWO KIDS WERE... YOU DON'T WANT TO PASS UP THIS SOUP OF SHAM POO'S!!

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LOST REVOLVER:

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CHARGED

Constable Tsang Shum, stationed at Aberdeen Police station, was charged before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy on Saturday with neglect by losing a .38 calibre revolver issued to him on July 11 at Aberdeen, and secondly, with conversion of a .38 revolver, holster and 6 rounds of ammunition, the property of the Government, to his own use.

The defendant pleaded guilty to both charges.

Mr. P. Grant, A.S.P., stated that the defendant, when he returned from duty at night, said he left the revolver and holster on the side of his bed. Defendant had not given assistance to recover the revolver.

A remand of one week was granted for further enquiries to be made. Bail is \$500.

U.S. FOREIGN TRADE.

NEW BOARD TO FACILITATE TARIFF DISCUSSIONS

Washington, July 15. The United States State Department is organising a "Foreign Trade Advisory Board," headed by Mr. Charles Barnes, chief of the Treaty Division, to facilitate the forthcoming bi-lateral tariff discussions.

Mr. Phillips, acting Secretary of State, announces that the Argentine and Colombia have expressed their willingness to enter trade negotiations.—*Reuter*.



CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

There are times when the only way to make your contract is to depend upon perfect breaks. While it generally pays to pick up the outstanding trump, there are times when this has to be delayed.

The following hand is not difficult, but it was surprising the number of players who went down when it came up in a recent duplicate tournament.

The Bidding

South, the dealer, opened the contracting with one heart. West, who was vulnerable could not show his club suit even though it was a six-carder because, when vulnerable, you must not only have a five-card suit, but in addition should

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| ♠A-K-8-7-4 | ♠J-5-3 |
| ♥1-6-5 | ♥8-7 |
| ♦8-7-5 | ♦K-Q-J-9-3 |
| ♣9-3 | ♣10-7-6 |
| ♠Q-10-2 | ♠A-K-Q-10-4 |
| ♥9-3-2 | ♥A-6-4-2 |
| ♦10 | ♦K-J |
| ♣A-Q-8-5-4-2 | |

have from two and one-half to three high card tricks.

North made a one over one force of one spade. East passed. South bid two hearts—this guaranteed partner a good five-card suit. While it is not considered an over-encouraging bid nevertheless it is constructive to the point that at least it tells your partner that you hold a five-card suit and are willing to play the hand at that contract.

With this information North, who holds three hearts to the jack, can now bid three hearts to show that his spades call was not made on weakness. South will go to four hearts.

The Play

In most cases West opened his singleton ten of diamonds. East put on the jack and the declarer won the trick with the ace.

Declarer could see that he might lose two club tricks and two diamond tricks. His only chance to make the contract was either to find the ace of clubs in the East hand or to have the spades break three-three.

In the ace of clubs were in the West hand and he tried for the club play first, his contract would be immediately defeated. Therefore he should first try to see if the spades will split, and if this play fails, he still has the club play in reserve.

He can safely play two rounds of trump, being careful to conserve the jack of hearts in dummy for an entry. Now the spade suit should be started by cashing dummy's ace and king and then returning a small spade, which the declarer would trump with the ten of hearts.

When West's queen dropped, this made dummy's two spades good. Declarer should lead a small heart and win in dummy with the jack, picking up West's last trump. The two good spades are led, declarer discarding two of his losing diamonds.

A club should be played from dummy and the declarer should go right up with the king. Of course West will win with the ace, cash his queen, and then lead another club which the declarer will have to trump. This will leave him with a losing diamond, but he has made his contract of four hearts.



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- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
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| BHUTAN | 6,000 | 9th Aug. | S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yoko |
| CARTHAGE | 14,000 | 10th Aug. | S'hai, Kobe & Yoko |
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He stated that people arrested coming off boats were professional smugglers, bringing the opium down to Hongkong and paying their passage back with the proceeds from sale.

Mr. Schofield imposed a fine of \$2,000 or seven months' hard labour.

A man, Ng Fai, arrested coming off the s.s. Yuet On was found to have ten taels of prepared opium strapped round his legs. He was fined \$500 or two months' hard labour.

CONSUL'S LIKELY MISTAKE

ENDORSEMENT OF A
PASSPORT

Karm Bux, 27, unemployed, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning with entering the Colony without a valid passport.

Defendant was remanded until Saturday for enquiries to be made regarding an emergency certificate which was issued by the Consul at Amoy in 1929 for a journey to Singapore only.

Sergeant Mottram said the Consul had possibly by mistake endorsed it for Hongkong. The endorsement itself was rather old.

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A local committee has been formed, consisting of the Hon. Colonial Secretary (Chairman), The Vice-Chancellor, University of Hongkong (Vice-Chairman), Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs, The Director of Education, Honourable Mr. S. W. Tso, O.B.E., LL.D., Honourable Mr. T. N. Chau, Miss Alice Kwok, Inspector of English Schools, (Education Office) Joint Honorary Secretary, (Hongkong), Mr. Tso Tsun On, Joint Honorary Secretary.

Such persons as may wish to avail themselves of the assistance of the League should apply to one of the Honorary Secretaries, with a view to obtaining a letter to the Secretary of the League in London.

"REDUCTIO AD ABSURDUM"

MAGISTRATE AND A
LEGAL ISSUE

A ticklish legal point regarding the finding of an article in the street, engaged the attention of Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning, when a Chinese chauffeur was charged with larceny by finding.

Detective-Sergeant McRobbie said the defendant was a respectable man and was chauffeur to a Chinese gentleman. He found a radiator cap in Stubbs Road while driving, and his offence was that he did not take it to the Police Station. The cap was a Standard Ford fitting and was very hard to identify. Owing to the epidemic in thefts of caps, the Police had been obliged to take action. Defendant had made no effort to trace the owner.

Magistrate—Supposing he picks up a silver dollar in the street, must he attempt to find the owner? The law does not say that he must take it to the Police Station, but it is a wise thing to do. It completely covers you then. If I found a silver dollar and I advertised it in the papers, I would get quite a few applicants, and it would be very hard to check up wouldn't it? That is bringing the question reductio ad absurdum.

Cautioning defendant, the Magistrate remarked that if there had been some special identification, he would have had to pay.

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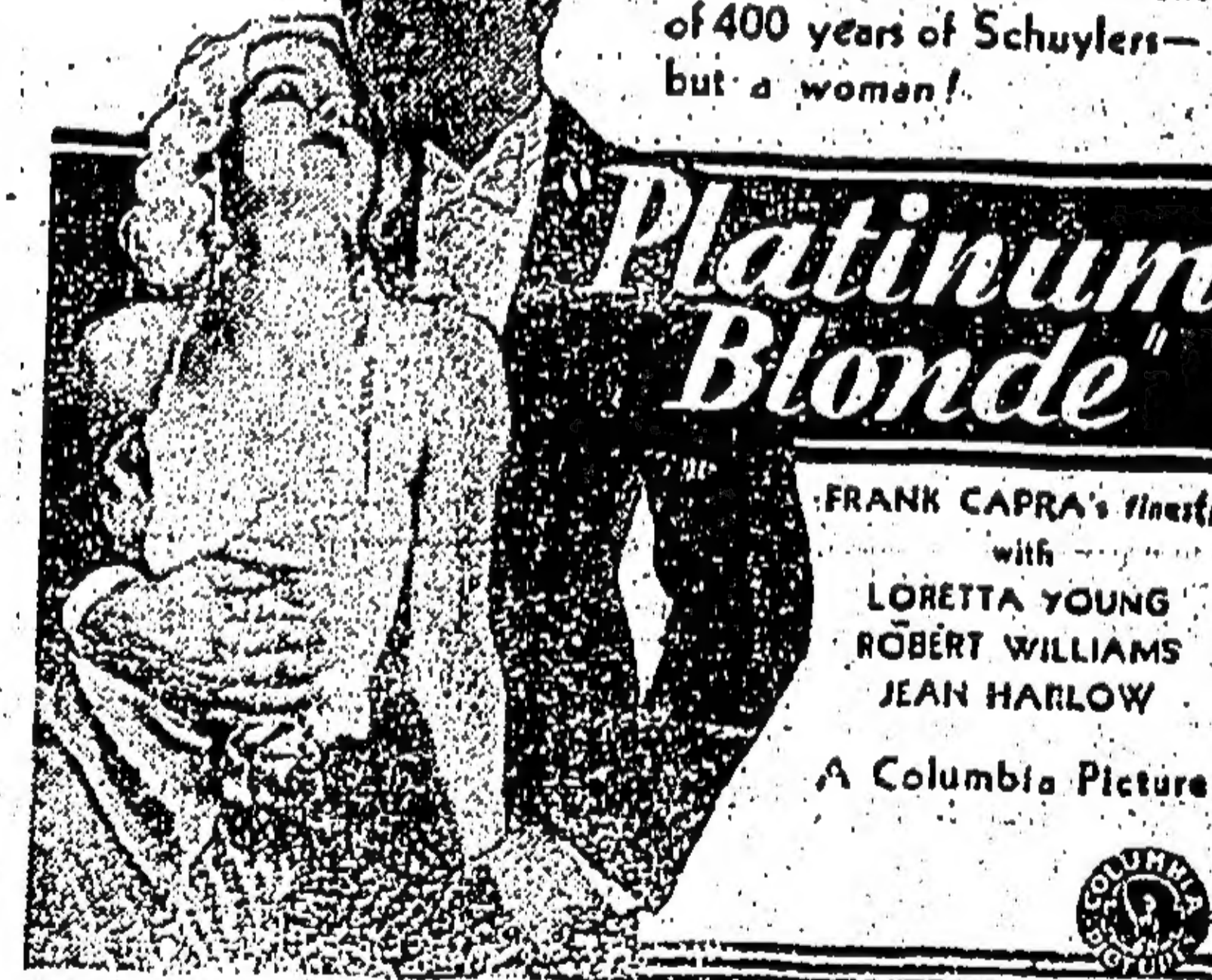
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